

Grand Lodge
of A.F. & A.M. of Canada
in the Province of Ontario



PROCEEDINGS
2017



**GRAND LODGE OF
A.F. & A.M. OF CANADA
in the Province of Ontario**

P R O C E E D I N G S

**ONE HUNDRED AND SIXTY SECOND
ANNUAL COMMUNICATION
HELD IN
THE CITY OF
TORONTO
July 19th, A.D. 2017, A.L. 6017**

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Established 1855 - Incorporated 2010



**MOST WORSHIPFUL BROTHER
PAUL E. TODD
GRAND MASTER**

A BRIEF BIOGRAPHY OF OUR GRAND MASTER

M.W. Bro. Paul E. Todd was born in Belleville, Ontario and grew up in Trenton, Ontario and graduated from Trenton High School.

In Ottawa, he began working as an apprentice Mechanic obtaining his Class A license. He also joined the Ontario Provincial Police Auxiliary Unit, retiring with the rank of Corporal.

Paul joined the Township of Nepean Fire Department in 1971, which is now part of the Ottawa Fire Services. The Governor General awarded him, The Federal Fire Service Medal for Exemplary Service and the Ontario Fire Marshall awarded him the Ontario Fire Marshall Long Service Medal. He retired 2002 after thirty-one years of Service.

He also worked part-time for Ontario Ambulance in Carleton Place Ontario leaving this position after 10 years of Service.

Paul joined Masonry on April 13, 1983 at St John's No. 63 Carleton Place, becoming its Master in 1994-1995. He was elected District Deputy Grand Master 1999-2000, of Ottawa District No. 1 and Master of Luxor Daylight Lodge No. 741, Ottawa District No. 2. in 2003.

He was the President of the Carleton Place Temple Corporation for five years, District Chairman of Blood Donors and Masonic Education, Ottawa District No. 1.

Paul was appointed to the Board of General Purpose 2001, 2003 and 2005, and elected to the Board of General Purposes 2007, 2009. In 2008 he was elected to the Management Committee of Grand Lodge and in 2009 he was re-elected for a three-year term.

Paul retired from the Board of General Purposes in July of 2011 due to health issues and joined the Lodge of Instruction Team 2011 as a presenter for two years.

He was a member of the Grand Lodge Masonic Education Committee, where he was the Team Leader responsible for the Masonic Education Newsletter, the Chairman of the Grand Lodge Committee of Long Range Planning, Grand Lodge Committee for the Condition of Masonry. Paul was then re-appointed to the Board of General Purposes and to the Management Committee as Liaison, while acting as Chairman of Condition of Masonry and was subsequently elected to the Management Committee for a three-year term.

Paul is the representative of the Grand Lodge of North Dakota, near the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario, a member of the Provincial Emergency Service Degree Team, was the Local Chairman of the Grand Lodge Committee for the International Plowing Match in Carleton Place and a Member of the Navan and Crosby IPM Committees.

Paul was a Member of the Grand Lodge 150th Anniversary committee as an actor in the play, the Grand Lodge Representative Amalgamation Committee's in Ottawa, Cornwall, Kingston and Bath, a founding Director of the Masonic Chip Foundation, Co-Chair of the Local Committee on Arrangements for the Especial Communication of Grand Lodge in Ottawa and has Chaired four Grand Master Receptions Committees for the Ottawa Districts.

In 2017 he became a member of the Royal Order of Scotland.

He was elected Deputy Grand Master in July of 2015 and Grand Master in 2017.

He was appointed a Director of the Masonic Foundation of Ontario for six years as Chairman responsible for the Web page and for approval of Masonic Foundation District projects.

Concordant Bodies

Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite of Freemasonry, Past Thrice Puissant Grand Master of the Ottawa Lodge of Perfection, member of the Murray Chapter of the Rose Croix, Member of the Ottawa Consistory coroneted a 33 degree Honorary Inspector General in Vancouver.

Member of Tunis Temple, Land O' Lakes Shrine Club Tunis Temple Oriental Band, where he is the Hajji and was appointed to the Divan of Tunis Temple in 2012 as Marshall.

Family Life

He was the Rector's Warden of St. James Anglican Church, Carleton Place for two years and for 12 years, a member of the Church Choir.

Paul is married to Gloria and they have three children. W. Bro Shawn Todd & his wife Michele live in Westboro, Shannon Thibault and her partner Danny Moore live in McLaren's Landing, and Alanna Harrison lives in Carleton Place. He also is a proud grandfather to five beautiful grandchildren, Olivia, Alisha, Tristan, Camryn and Rowan.

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At the One Hundred and Sixty Second Annual Communication of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario, held in the City of Toronto, commencing Wednesday, July 19, A.D. 2017, A.L. 6017.

Present were:

THE GRAND MASTER
M.W. Bro. John C. Green

THE DEPUTY GRAND MASTER
R.W. Bro. Paul E. Todd

R.W. Bro. Maher Eid..... Grand Senior Warden
R.W. Bro. Adriaan de Vries Grand Junior Warden
R.W. Bro. J. David Leggatt Grand Chaplain
R.W. Bro. Thomas W. HogeboomGrand Treasurer
M.W. Bro. Terence Shand.....Grand Secretary
R.W. Bro. J. Paul Johnson..... Grand Director of Ceremonies

PAST GRAND MASTERS

M.W. Bros. R. E. Groshaw, T. Shand, D. H. Mumby, G. L. Atkinson, A. J. Petrisor, D. Garry Dowling, D. A. Campbell.

THE DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

Algoma.....	Neil A. Lundberg	Ottawa 2	Robert H. Clarke
Algoma East	Rodney N. Caughill	Peterborough	Andrew C. Stevenson
Brant.....	Fred Sebring	Prince Edward	Stewart Westhead
Bruce	James O. Wark	St Lawrence.....	Richard A. Denison
Eastern.....	Andrew Ciaszek	St Thomas.....	R. Derek Coniam
Essex County.....	Daniel W. Chamney	Sarnia	Ivan A. Bryce
Frontenac.....	Jeffrey M. Gatcke	South Huron	Terence P. Ridgway
Georgian North.....	Terry W. Kirk	Sudbury-Manitoulin .	Clive D. Stephenson
Georgian South.....	Phillip J. Laundry	Temiskaming.....	Ian B. MacPherson
Grey.....	Robert V. Rounding	Tor. Don Valley.....	Lawrence Ben-Eliezer
Hamilton A.....	R. Larry Hinkley	Toronto East	Gerald J. Newall
Hamilton B	Ray A. Young	Tor. Hum. Valley.....	S. Fahir Benli
Hamilton C	Craig L. Knapman	Victoria.....	Lawrence F. Bell
London East.....	Michael R. Graystone	Waterloo	R. Ronald Bock
London West	Jeffrey E. Davidson	Wellington.....	Robert S. Wilson
Niagara A	Thomas A. Wills	Western	Robert D. Kitowski
Niagara B	Nicholas Andras	Wilson North.....	S. James Harrison
Nipissing Muskoka.....	Matt Plant	Wilson South.....	W. Peter Butler
North Huron	Keith P. Heydon	York	Ross T. Guerrero
Ottawa 1	Trevor Hemmerling		

BOARD MEMBERS

F. Halpern, D. E. Jacklin, G. Mitchell, H. E. Standish, J. C. Sutherland, D. Armstrong, L. F. Armstrong, W.A. Atkinson Sr., B. Burchill, D. J. Cameron, G. Crutcher, R. Findlater, J. M. Forster, J. L. Hay, K. Jones, R. Kaufman, B. Koivu, J. Ireland, M. Locke, R. F. Manz, P. M. J. McConnell, L. Muss, T. A. Siemiernik, G. R. Taylor, T. Van Horne, S. Warren, I. Wates, C. A. Woods

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

R. E. Groshaw	Scotland	B. W. Lyle	Wisconsin
D. A. Campbell.....	Alberta	H. Adams.....	Prince Hall Alaska
P. M. J. McConnell.....	Manitoba	F. Halpern.....	Austria
J. D. Bell.....	New Brunswick	J. H. Hough.....	Burkina Faso
T. Shand	Newfoundland/Labrador	R. L. Dobbs	Espirito Santo
R. Ledingham.....	Quebec	R. Wilson.....	Goiias
T. Pachal.....	Saskatchewan	R. F. Manz.....	Grand Orient (Brazil)
A. Simpson.....	Alabama	N. G. McCarthy	Maranhao
T. W. Hogeboom.....	Alaska	D.E. Swann.....	Mato Grosso
A. B. Loopstra	Arizona	E. Jones	Para
J. C. Sutherland	Arkansas	J. Domonkos.....	Parana
R. S. Whitmore.....	California	L. Martin	Rio de Janeiro
G. L. Atkinson.....	Connecticut	A. D. Nichols.....	Sao Paulo
G. R. Taylor.....	Florida	S. W. Libbey.....	China
T. A. McLean	Georgia	W. A. Atkinson, Sr.	Bogota
G. R. Clauson	Illinois	R. A. Morrow	Cartagena
I. Wates	Kansas	B. J. Hutton.....	Costa Rica
D. J. Cameron.....	Kentucky	P. G. Farrell	Croatia
B. Burchill	Maine	G. Turek	Czech Republic
I. D. Dale	Massachusetts	P. Johnson.....	Germany, U.G.L.
T. V. Horner	Michigan	P. J. McGrenere	Honduras
J. T. Cassie	Minnesota	G. W. Nelson	Iran
C. Woods.....	Mississippi	H. E. Standish	Japan
L. Muss	Missouri	D. E. Jacklin	Mauritius
B. Koivu	Montana	D. J. Purvis	Nuevo Leon/ Mexico
D. G. Dowling	New Hampshire	R. K. Campbell.....	York
W. E. Elgie	New Jersey	B. K. Schweitzer.....	Netherlands
J. R. Hay	North Carolina	J. C. Green	Norway
P. E. Todd.....	North Dakota	C. R. Alexander	Peru
A. J. Petrisor	Ohio	J. P. Chua.....	Philippines
P. J. Mullen	Oregon	J. Forster	Queensland
D. H. Mumby	Rhode Island	S. Warren.....	South Africa
R. Sutherland.....	South Dakota	S. Kalinowsky	South Australia
D. M. Sheen.....	Tennessee	G. C. Crutcher	Tasmania
R. Kliaman	Vermont	S. F. Benli.....	Turkey
R. Cooper	Virginia	T. A. Siemiernik	Uruguay
S. R. Drummond.....	West Virginia	R. C. Tate	Venezuela

The Most Worshipful the Grand Master, John C. Green, distinguished guests and officers of Grand Lodge took their places in the Canadian Room of the Fairmont Royal York Hotel at 8:45 a.m. in the forenoon, and Grand Lodge was opened forthwith.

MASONS ADMITTED

The Grand Master invited all Masons to enter.

ANTHEM

The brethren joined in singing O Canada followed by the Star Spangled Banner and God Save the Queen.

DELEGATES REGISTERED

ALGOMA DISTRICT

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| No. 287 J. Watson, W. Boote, W. Deadman,
J. Horbow, M. Hrycyk, N. Lundberg | No. 636 M. Forster |
| No. 499 J. Watts, R. Manz | No. 662 W. Davis, R. Deschatelets,
D. Finan, H. Griggs, J. Nesbitt |
| No. 511 T. King, W. Davis | No. 672 R. Manz |
| No. 584 R. Bauch | |

ALGOMA EAST DISTRICT

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| No. 412 D. Adshead, R. Caughill, R. Crowle,
I. Jeffreys | P. Gillespie, W. Weeks |
| No. 442 J. Bird | No. 625 R. Chiarello, B. Derochie, E. Graham,
K. Jewitt, I. MacKenzie, K. MacKenzie |
| No. 469 P. Gillespie, J. Lewis, H. Thomas,
W. Weeks | No. 680 G. Bertrand, D. Broomhead, S. Turyk,
W. Weeks |
| No. 487 A. Petrisor, J. Richer | No. 698 G. Thomas, K. Pierce |
| No. 622 D. Broomhead, G. Bertrand, | |

BRANT DISTRICT

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| No. 35 R. Edwards, K. Hannah, W. Topp | No. 319 W. Vollick |
| No. 45 D. Narejko, J. Herron, W. Martin,
A. Petrisor, D. Smith | No. 329 Z. Badi, E. Payne |
| No. 82 G. Atkinson, R. Stinson | No. 505 B. Buchanan, R. Hunt, F. Waller |
| No. 106 K. Lovett | No. 508 R. Todd |
| No. 113 D. Mumby, J. Paquette, F. Sebring | No. 515 M. Hodgson, J. Arrindell, J. Green |
| No. 243 R. Rowe, R. Rowe, E. Sager | No. 519 R. Hunt |

BRUCE DISTRICT

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| No. 131 J. Goar, D. Goar, M. Harley,
G. Higgins, R. Shular, P. Zorzi | No. 393 T. Williams, T. Murphy, R. Oswald |
| No. 197 P. Watsham, D. Wilde, R. Willick | No. 396 D. Madill, J. Leggatt, C. Noble |
| No. 235 W. Bryce, B. Cumming, J. Cumming,
J. Green, J. Kline, O. Parsons, J. Ryan,
J. Wark | No. 429 B. Follett, L. Hammell, M. Harley,
B. Lobaton, F. Richardson, G. Schamott,
K. Stiles, T. Willins, P. Zorzi |
| No. 262 P. Wallace, T. Collins, T. Heise,
A. Jaunzemis, D. Simpson | No. 431 L. Abell, A. Abell, D. Dayman,
T. Gregory, M. MacLennan |
| No. 315 R. Ashbourne, B. Shannon, R. Walsh | No. 432 L. Fry, T. Miller, J. Rahn,
B. MacTavish, D. McCallum, W. Sickel |
| No. 362 R. Smith, L. Hammell, A. McKay,
S. McLeod, W. Robinson, R. Ruff,
G. Schamott, B. Smith, J. Stewart | No. 436 J. Leggatt, G. Atkinson, R. Lesperance,
R. Pringle |

CHATHAM DISTRICT

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| No. 46 B. Case, J. Creasey, K. Heather,
W. Lockhart, N. Reynolds, M. Schrank,
B. Wright | D. Reycraft |
| No. 245 T. Maynard, D. McGuire | No. 312 K. Henderson |
| No. 267 J. Newman, G. Betts, D. Hewitson,
K. Smith, J. Sulman | No. 327 B. Chambers, R. Hewitt, R. Johnson,
R. McNaughton |
| No. 274 F. McDermott, B. Case, D. Jacklin,
D. Robert, B. Wright | No. 422 J. Wolfe, G. Chambers, B. Chambers,
R. Hewitt, R. Johnson, A. Ronsyn,
S. Thomson, L. Wolfe |
| No. 282 J. May, R. Livingston, G. Atkinson,
K. Dickie, A. McLean, R. McNaughton, | No. 457 R. Carnahan, G. Betts, D. Jacklin,
J. Kirk, D. McAleece, D. McGuire |

EASTERN DISTRICT

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| No. 21 A. Ciastek, N. Das Eiras, D. Mumby | D. Mumby, D. Noseworthy, P. Riddell |
| No. 125 M. Aburamadan, S. Libbey | No. 256 D. Wert |
| No. 143 S. Bygott, W. Cook, G. MacGregor,
R. Maginnis, D. McQuade, P. Riddell,
J. Tousaw | No. 320 P. Eglinton, T. Clapp |
| No. 186 R. Stevens, A. Ciastek, J. Cleary,
J. Clemens, M. Moor | No. 418 C. Deacon, M. McConnell, W. Shields,
J. Shields, G. White |
| No. 207 G. Midgley, D. Fraser, G. MacGregor, | No. 439 V. Pace, A. Ciastek |
| | No. 450 J. Clemens |

ESSEX COUNTY DISTRICT

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| No. 34 W. Atkinson, P. Wiebe | No. 521 B. Evans, J. Godin, T. Zahorodney,
R. Gellner, R. MacNevin, A. McDonald,
L. Pray Jr., P. Wiebe, P. Wiebe |
| No. 41 T. Cozens, J. Cherwak, B. Cozens,
J. Faul, E. Kerrigan, P. Westbere | No. 554 M. Brodsky, C. Drew, R. MacNevin,
A. McDonald, A. Munro, P. Wiebe |
| No. 47 G. Minto, D. Chamney, J. Dyrda,
K. Heydon, R. MacNevin | No. 579 I. Strukan, M. Brassard, C. Adamson,
M. Brodsky, R. MacNevin, A. McDonald,
D. Warner |
| No. 290 D. Friesen, R. Stevenson | No. 627 J. Leadbetter, R. Ronald,
D. Derbyshire, D. Durham, G. Hughson,
T. Ronald |
| No. 395 J. Spence | No. 642 A. Munro, R. Gellner |
| No. 403 M. Tingle, C. Adamson, J. Cherwak,
I. Strukan, M. Tingle | |
| No. 413 D. Hewitson, G. Ternoey | |
| No. 448 D. Derbyshire | |
| No. 500 A. McDonald | |

FRONTENAC DISTRICT

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| No. 3 D. Andrews, G. Atkinson, J. Neil,
R. Paddle, W. Revell | No. 201 W. Sloan, J. Gatcke, R. Paddle, S. Pere,
R. Winfield |
| No. 9 R. Morrow | No. 253 W. Freeman |
| No. 92 D. Slack, M. Hanna, D. Andrews,
D. Hay, D. Holton | No. 299 G. Atkinson, C. Farber |
| No. 109 B. Gee, D. Lafreniere, P. Byer,
D. Rickards | No. 497 H. O'Brien |
| No. 119 T. Barber, T. Hogeboom, T. Horner,
D. Mumby, V. Simpkins | No. 578 S. Landry, D. Quinn |
| No. 146 W. Lewis, J. Ritchie, M. Switzer | No. 621 J. Bowick, B. Gee |
| No. 157 P. Thompson, P. Caldwell,
B. MacLean | No. 746 D. Quinn, T. Barber, D. Campbell,
C. Farber, J. Gatcke, T. Hogeboom, T. Horner,
R. Morrow, D. Mumby, S. Pere, A. Petrisor,
M. Switzer |

GEORGIAN NORTH DISTRICT

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| No. 90 R. Potts, A. Petrisor | R. Phillips, D. Snedden, D. Steward,
W. Wheeler |
| No. 192 K. Elliott, P. Hayes, P. Kelly,
J. Seymour, J. Vessey | No. 492 J. West, R. Beckett, S. Crawford, A.
Lapp |
| No. 249 R. Goodfellow, D. Hardie, R. Huntley,
R. Phillips | No. 659 D. Purvis |
| No. 266 R. McNicol, F. Bellumini,
E. McGauley, D. McNicoll, D. Rawn | No. 718 W. Beardwood, D. Hawman, J. Hough,
T. Kirk, P. Weir, A. Weir |
| No. 348 D. Don, W. Edmonds, D. Sybliss | No. 749 R. Goodfellow, D. Hardie, R. Phillips |
| No. 466 R. Easby, D. Don, W. Edmonds, | |

GEORGIAN SOUTH DISTRICT

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| No. 96 C. Dicks, G. Perkins, G. Atkinson,
R. Best, L. Fraser, D. Gillis, A. Petrisor | No. 385 D. Fleet, R. Groshaw |
| No. 230 B. Currie, H. Auty, B. Carrique,
D. Conway, M. Ingram, P. Laundry,
D. Mumby | No. 444 B. Lawson |
| No. 236 R. Brethour, J. McKillip | No. 467 A. Nolan, R. Murdock, K. Pratt,
N. Publow |
| No. 285 D. Russell, D. Fleet, R. Moore,
J. Tranter, C. Winter | No. 673 K. Hebbard, C. Drew, D. Hardwick,
J. Imrie, J. McGill, S. Moorehouse,
D. Russell, A. Sugden, D. Tomlinson |
| No. 304 H. Donnelly, L. Jack, G. Murray | No. 737 B. Goodyear, D. Boyd, L. Jack |

GREY DISTRICT

No. 88 S. Nesbitt, G. Atkinson, T. Skippen
 No. 137 W. Robinson, H. Knox, G. Wyville
 No. 200 J. Hirons, J. Jeffery, A. McCorquodale,
 M. Nicholson, A. Petrisor
 No. 216 V. Brown, A. Coles, S. Brass,
 R. Busch, J. Dean, S. Doney
 No. 306 A. Croll, D. Christie, D. Wilde
 No. 322 W. Moran, R. McMahon, W. Griffith,
 A. Harvey
 No. 333 R. Fawcett, T. Allwood, R. McNabney,

M. Parks, J. Wilson
 No. 334 L. Woods, R. Brown, W. Mainland,
 F. McEachern, T. O'Donnell, J. Woods
 No. 377 A. Coles, W. Holtz, P. Nancekivell
 No. 421 R. Rounding, R. Sills, A. Townsend,
 R. West
 No. 449 D. Dobson, G. Polci, W. Seeley
 No. 490 S. Coll, G. Aitken, J. Coultres,
 G. Hedges, C. Hedges, G. Wyville

HAMILTON A DISTRICT

No. 6 E. Cambridge, G. Benton, G. Benton,
 K. Adamson, D. Amis, I. Anderson,
 W. Braun, C. Cooper, C. Lemmex,
 K. Nickerson, H. Standish, H. Woodhead
 No. 40 K. Adamson, M. De Abreu,
 A. Duncan, R. Pearce, T. Shand
 No. 135 F. Rabley, W. Chisholm, J. Hough,
 K. MacDonald
 No. 165 C. Pye
 No. 357 J. Scott, S. Chick
 No. 400 J. Villarroel, H. Sehri, J. Starkey,
 E. Warren, S. Warren
 No. 475 D. Maddison, J. Kirk, D. Lyle
 No. 551 J. Longe, H. Zulerons Jr., C. Cleaver,

R. Hinkley, D. Midgley
 No. 603 D. Elliot, E. Evans, R. Johnson,
 S. Laing, A. Parsons
 No. 639 M. Kapitan, A. Duncan, W. Gilchrist,
 R. Hinkley, N. Paterson, J. Worman
 No. 663 M. Maennling, J. Meecham, L. Collins,
 M. De Abreu, I. Hutt, E. Marshall, J. Pollock
 No. 681 E. Anderson, I. Casey, B. Gushway,
 W. Hare
 No. 712 Z. Byramjee, D. Finan, J. Nancekivell,
 R. Oldfield, J. Selnes, N. Stephens,
 J. Williams
 No. 725 R. McPhail, P. Mizzi, K. Adamson,
 J. Baker, D. Thornton

HAMILTON B DISTRICT

No. 7 S. Straughon, D. Kemp, J. Stewart,
 T. Wills
 No. 27 T. Qurashi, G. Harrison, K. Adamson,
 N. Madill
 No. 57 S. Johnson, D. Bridges, M. Burke,
 N. Dolson, L. Domjan, G. Jarvie, M. Martin,
 B. Schweitzer, M. Smith, B. Teskey
 No. 61 S. Charikar, V. Abraham, G. Atkinson,
 H. Standish
 No. 62 W. Reiach, G. Fisher, R. Edwards
 No. 166 M. O'Donnell, G. Atkinson, R. Kerr,
 M. Mainprize, B. Muir

No. 185 M. Burke, L. Domjan, R. Forbes,
 G. Jarvie, M. Martin, M. Smith
 No. 544 R. Wardell, B. Teskey, V. Lepp,
 K. McLaren, M. Murphy, T. Young
 No. 593 P. Pizzolante, T. Brown, J. La Berge,
 N. Madill, R. Todd
 No. 594 W. Neely, A. Datta, G. Benton,
 J. Harrop, D. Haslip, C. Mills, B. Schweitzer,
 R. Young
 No. 714 S. Stafford, R. Jones, R. Blundell,
 A. Campbell, J. Gallen, G. Tait

HAMILTON C DISTRICT

No. 100 C. Knapman, B. Knapman, W. Millar,
 L. Mullett, W. Schneiders
 No. 272 C. Jordison, B. Howarth, T. Marshall
 No. 291 J. Burgoin, W. Almeida, G. Benton,
 D. Tuinstra
 No. 324 K. Adamson, D. Beland, W. Brimer Jr.,
 H. Hillgren, A. Loopstra, R. Ross,
 R. Whitmore
 No. 495 A. Mouriopoulos, I. Horvath,
 J. Bennett, W. Millar
 No. 513 E. Manmohan, A. Pralet, R. Hayes,
 K. Adamson, A. Bouchard, G. Chiarot,
 D. Scott, A. Stewart, R. Stewart
 No. 549 V. Balta
 No. 550 J. Murdoch, M. Kingsley, K. Adamson,

G. Magwood, G. Molnar
 No. 555 R. Ellison, G. Cernile, J. Drosky,
 T. Whitfield
 No. 602 J. Harrop, T. Persaud, R. Coombs,
 C. Angyal, H. Auty, S. Badger, I. Clunie,
 C. Foreman, B. Kiernan, G. McLean,
 E. Patterson, G. Rhodes, J. Stewart, M. Tees,
 S. Thiede
 No. 654 J. Kippax, J. Goar, R. Doherty,
 W. Elgie, W. MacPherson, N. McCarthy,
 C. McCarthy, A. Moore, D. Mumby,
 D. Tuinstra
 No. 671 C. Cleaver, D. Midgley, G. Molnar
 No. 687 R. Jones, H. Auty, J. Hlohinec,
 R. Joyce, I. Metcalfe

LONDON EAST DISTRICT

- No. 20 D. Hanna, C. George, H. Wilkinson,
G. Atkinson, W. Brown, M. Brown,
G. Brown, M. Brunnenmeir, N. Camp,
R. Dagg, D. Emerick, L. Martin, R. More,
C. Mortlock, P. Mullen, C. Skinner,
T. Skinner, J. Warder, M. Willis
- No. 64 M. Smith, R. Charles, P. Masters,
G. Atkinson, R. Cooper, I. Dale, D. Dowling,
J. Ford, R. Leffley, F. Smith
- No. 190 R. Dunlop, R. Somers
- No. 300 G. Atkinson, J. Clays, W. Deller,
J. Nichol, J. Sutherland
- No. 345 J. MacDonald, B. Andersen,
B. Fickling, R. Johnston, R. Rossi
- No. 379 F. Ortiz, J. Black, J. MacLeod,

- J. McCullough, C. More
- No. 380 K. Parker, T. Walker, J. Calverley,
L. Hartin, G. Publicover
- No. 399 L. Martin, R. Cadotte, J. Ford,
P. McGrenere, R. More, D. Strickland
- No. 597 S. Graystone, M. Graystone,
R. Graystone, L. Martin, D. Parisian, G. Polci
- No. 684 W. McIntyre, W. Barker, D. Cameron,
J. Cassie, W. Cramp, C. Drew, M. Gordon,
R. Groshaw, J. MacLeod, E. Marshall,
T. Shand, J. Sutherland, W. Sutherland
- No. 716 B. Parkin, J. Woodard, J. Angle,
C. More, R. Storey, D. Storey
- No. 735 A. Petrisor, T. Skinner

LONDON WEST DISTRICT

- No. 42 C. Turner, R. Fletcher, M. Kenney,
B. Lyle, A. Messenger, J. Ticknor
- No. 81 M. Leach, W. Sutherland
- No. 107 J. McKaig, W. Redekop
- No. 195 E. Eppel, C. Collison, C. Drew,
R. Hawken
- No. 208 B. Andersen, S. Budge, D. Davidson,
J. Davidson, H. Fleming, C. Johnston,
R. Willoughby

- No. 289 I. Dale, D. Dowling, T. Shand,
P. Turner
- No. 330 T. Haight
- No. 378 R. Bregman Jr., G. Atkinson,
D. Cameron, R. Hewitt, A. Howard, P. Mullen
- No. 388 S. Cobleigh, S. Neal, B. Kennedy
- No. 610 J. Gortzak, E. Hartman, R. Brewster,
D. Dowling, N. Kerr, R. Masters, M. Steele
- No. 708 D. Mumby, L. Thomas

NIAGARA A DISTRICT

- No. 2 C. Gilchrist, B. Boles, C. Saj,
P. Borland, G. Bouchard, B. Kempston,
W. Mitchell, E. Power, K. Quinn, S. Regier
- No. 15 S. De Haan, R. Thwaites, M. Anderson
McGaw, G. Bouchard, C. Cosette, D. Gillis,
P. Klotz
- No. 32 A. Forster, J. Hart, R. Thompson
- No. 103 M. Locke, M. Molnar, D. Seyffert,
R. Siemens, E. Woodland
- No. 115 D. Pollard, P. McGrenere, A. De Vos,
N. Dolson, E. Dunsmore, K. Haner
- No. 221 W. Booth
- No. 277 R. Broadbridge, W. Fannon,
G. Atkinson, R. Lick, D. Lintaman,
R. Mallabar, J. Zoccoli
- No. 296 C. Johnson, R. Coniam, D. Julian,
R. Paige, M. Winstanley
- No. 338 C. Smagata, R. Etling, J. Hart,

- N. McLean, R. McLennan, D. Pollard, J. Rigg,
D. Seyffert
- No. 502 C. Clements, M. Travis, E. Dunsmore,
L. Johnson, N. McLean, T. Wills
- No. 614 D. Grimshaw, G. Hubbard,
G. Mitchell, D. Mumby, R. Siemens, J. Sorley
- No. 616 M. Molnar, G. Fairbairn, J. Harper,
M. Locke, G. Mitchell, E. Power
- No. 661 P. Borland, J. Davis, R. Bradnam,
R. Brown, I. Bruce, J. Donnelly,
D. Grimshaw, A. Heidbuechel, M. Horne,
J. McIntosh, G. McLoughlin, C. McPhail,
R. Young
- No. 697 A. McLay
- No. 745 W. Booth, P. Borland, G. Dean,
E. Dunsmore, A. McLay, R. McLennan,
D. Mumby, R. Simpson, C. Smagata, T. Wills

NIAGARA B DISTRICT

- No. 105 M. Ferguson, P. Thomas, S. Ferguson,
K. Green
- No. 168 G. Shuttleworth, G. Faraday,
A. McCorquodale, R. Muha
- No. 169 C. Rohe, M. Dodds, K. Burke,
W. Dzierba, W. Fannon, R. Jordan, D. O'Neill
- No. 254 A. Bynoe
- No. 337 R. Barnes, K. Halbert

- No. 372 T. Whitfield, J. Newton, C. Lemmex,
J. Perham, R. Simpson
- No. 373 J. Mather, R. Begy, W. Dzierba
- No. 471 D. Martin, D. Campbell, W. Ennest,
T. Tkach
- No. 535 R. Begy, J. Mather
- No. 573 R. Panchal, G. Shuttleworth, N. Andras

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No. 360 R. Moore, J. Ault, M. Blakely,
J. Ritchie, I. Wates
No. 376 D. Bentley, D. Conway, J. Davis,
P. McGrenere, T. Shand, H. Waxl
No. 409 F. Richardson, B. Topping, R. Brown
No. 420 J. Anderson, B. McCulloch,
J. McCutcheon
No. 423 G. Carpenter, R. Etling, D. Junop,

H. Waxl
No. 434 J. Boyuk, M. Grima, H. McIntosh
No. 443 D. Mumby, D. Plant, M. Plant
No. 447 R. Coutts, R. Meadows
No. 454 R. Van Der Wijst, G. Brandt, J. Faul,
M. Grima, S. McQuade
No. 617 R. Coutts, T. McParland, R. Meadows

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No. 93 C. MacLean, R. Duncan, C. Elwood,
K. Heydon, P. Johns, B. Lowry,
J. Nancekivell, C. Pollock
No. 162 R. Douglas
No. 225 R. Roswell, D. Davidson, D. Madill

No. 286 J. Coultres, R. Hoover, J. Vessey
No. 314 W. Forbes, M. Fleming, A. Toner
No. 341 G. Brooks, W. Cramp, F. Lewis,
D. Manary
No. 568 D. Plant

ONTARIO DISTRICT

No. 17 R. Groshaw, T. Shand, T. Skippen
No. 26 S. Cameron, L. Lowry, S. McCarthy,
G. Parnell, M. Waterfall, L. Winfield
No. 30 G. Olley, H. Visser
No. 31 J. Hartwell, S. Jackman, R. Jones,
D. Page
No. 39 D. Mumby, M. Poray, W. Vaughan,
J. Wallace
No. 66 S. Keane, G. Wilson, L. Driskell,
K. Latchford, M. Lathangue, C. Le Gresley,
I. Moore, K. Wilson
No. 91 J. Deviney, C. Robinson

No. 114 R. Ough, C. Robinson
No. 139 G. Jess
No. 270 G. Atkinson, G. Bruder, P. Irwin,
D. McKeon, D. Mills, R. Porter
No. 325 K. Fudge, S. Spence, I. McKenzie,
B. Moffat, R. Ough, N. Tillson
No. 428 J. Judd, P. Cooke, E. De Beaupre,
K. Fralick, D. Lee, M. Smith
No. 649 S. Bowman, M. Elliott, K. Fudge,
W. McCormack, D. Trumbley
No. 695 A. Weir, I. Oliver
No. 706 J. Dean, J. Johnson, W. Vaughan

OTTAWA 1 DISTRICT

No. 58 A. Thomson, J. Calverley, D. Charron,
D. Gossling, B. Griffin, D. Robar, C. Statham,
A. Thompson, S. Thomson
No. 63 R. Clow, M. Weedmark, G. Echlin,
B. Adams, D. Mumby, S. Todd
No. 147 B. Cavanagh, B. Burchill,
L. Cavanagh, D. Sonnenburg, A. St Dennis,
K. Zeigler
No. 148 D. Beaudoin, D. Barbara, A. Garcia,
D. Gossling, S. Himuaru, J. Lambie,
G. Morgan, M. Reiach, L. Richardson,
W. Stewart, M. Whitehead
No. 159 K. Burchill, D. Healey, D. Howie,
R. Ledingham, D. Mumby
No. 231 G. Clauson, L. Harvey, R. Taylor,
A. Wright
No. 371 M. Pembroke, K. Hatzis, S. Elias,
A. Wright
No. 465 D. Gray, J. Boivin, B. Adams,
D. Dockrill, K. Farmer, K. Fields, D. Gray,

D. Mumby, W. Paul
No. 479 J. Bowman, J. Bowman, S. Wessel,
J. Barber, G. Cormier, M. Gutfriend, L. Luck,
K. Sharp
No. 517 A. Liimatainen, J. Parent, R. Copeland,
E. Denbeigh, D. Howie, D. Mancuso,
R. Reeve, R. Williams
No. 558 J. Christie, P. Christie, N. Voulgaridis,
M. Moor, J. Plumondon
No. 560 J. Forster, A. Nesrallah, R. Campbell,
G. Clauson, M. Moor, R. Tate
No. 561 J. Campbell, D. Learning, B. Burchill,
D. Campbell, S. Jenkyns, D. Mumby,
C. Statham, R. Uhrig
No. 665 G. O'Neill, J. Bampton, A. Garcia,
T. Hemmerling, D. Saikaley, H. Sainthill,
R. Williams
No. 736 D. Chartrand, D. Brown, M. Ashman,
S. Livingstone, D. Mumby

OTTAWA 2 DISTRICT

No. 52 M. Rust, D. Fraser, M. Bond, C. Drew,
T. Larson, A. McArdle, D. Mumby, K. Olm
No. 122 K. Richard, P. Harbert, D. Mumby
No. 128 D. McEwen, R. Morgan, D. Mumby,
R. Taylor
No. 177 R. Loomes, H. El Sayed, W. Keech,

W. MacDonald, J. Saunders
No. 196 J. Smith, M. Harrower, R. Staye
No. 264 D. Mumby, P. Nonkoh
No. 433 D. McEwen, D. Mumby, R. Staye,
R. Taylor
No. 459 D. Steeves

OTTAWA 2 DISTRICT (Continued)

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| No. 526 M. Reiach, R. Gaw, J. Solomon,
A. Braslins, D. Durr, M. Mohamdee, G. Singh | D. Mumby |
| No. 564 D. Durr, J. Irvine, D. Mumby | No. 741 R. Ledingham, G. Maloley,
D. Campbell, R. Campbell, G. Clauson,
J. Forster, D. Healey, S. Kalinowsky,
A. McArdle, G. Morgan, D. Mumby, K. Olm,
L. Richardson, J. Saunders, T. Shand,
G. Singh, R. Tate, R. Taylor |
| No. 590 R. Sullivan, M. Hanna, A. Arbuckle,
R. Clarke, S. Kalinowsky, J. Noseworthy,
G. Singh | |
| No. 721 J. Hawkins, B. Fraser, J. Hawkins, | |

PETERBOROUGH DISTRICT

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| No. 101 C. Addison, A. Baswick, D. Madden,
B. Maddock, V. Orr, H. Rose, D. Rosefield | No. 313 J. Wilson, H. Hamilton, C. Hutton |
| No. 126 I. Thompson, S. Drummond,
F. Groves, B. Manson | No. 374 D. Hines, R. McBride |
| No. 145 J. Hay, W. Hughes, A. Stevenson | No. 435 S. Henderson, G. Bloor, J. Kerr |
| No. 155 H. Hewitt, W. Scott | No. 523 R. Keay, B. Wilkinson, W. Howell,
D. Martyn |
| No. 161 D. McPherson, M. Drew | No. 675 R. McBride, A. McMichael,
R. Ducharme, P. Rhodes |
| No. 223 K. Buchanan | |

PRINCE EDWARD DISTRICT

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| No. 11 W. Roberts, O. Nungesser, T. Cotton,
G. Chinnatamby, K. Collard, D. English,
J. Flanigan, W. Jensen, J. Neil, H. Newton,
C. Reid, T. Ross, T. Thompson, R. Verrall | No. 50 J. Harvey, K. Campbell, D. Harvey,
R. Pomeroy |
| No. 18 K. Campbell, J. Carter, D. Mercer,
D. Porter, S. Westhead | No. 69 D. Shaw, J. Bonnin, W. Boyle,
J. Chrysler, D. Clare, H. Danford, R.
Pomeroy, W. Thompson |
| No. 29 J. Lalonde | No. 164 K. Forsyth, K. Campbell, C. Drew,
K. Forsyth, D. Mercer |
| No. 38 F. Boulton, M. Durant, W. Richardson | No. 215 L. Bedford, W. Bedford, R. Carter,
H. Hellberg |
| No. 48 T. Leonard, D. Clare, D. Gillis,
G. Haskell, G. Holmes, J. Kerr, E. Sandford,
R. Tompkins, J. Varty | No. 482 B. Clark, T. Shand, F. Wilson |

SARNIA DISTRICT

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| No. 56 M. Kern, G. Atkinson, D. Emerick,
A. George, W. Graham, A. O'Neill | W. Richardson, A. Thomson |
| No. 83 M. Pedden, P. Brown, J. Howden,
R. Marshall, C. Roulston | No. 307 J. McCormick, F. Hoffner, T. Keith,
C. Kristensen, D. Richter, J. Sercombe,
R. Wilson |
| No. 116 E. Morenz | No. 328 G. Atkinson, J. Ireland, A. McLean |
| No. 153 W. Shand, P. Bednar, D. Moreau,
L. Armstrong, G. Atkinson, P. Fisher,
M. Lambie | No. 392 J. Warren, L. Armstrong, G. Atkinson,
M. Dennis, P. Fisher, J. Palumbo |
| No. 158 G. Atkinson, R. Bailey, G. Cameron,
S. Dunlop, B. Simpson | No. 397 G. Atkinson, J. McBean, W. Miller,
J. Morley |
| No. 194 J. Cleaver, G. Ainsworth, J. Boyd,
R. Martin | No. 419 C. Veinot, M. Adam, G. Atkinson,
H. Fleming, R. Hall, S. MacNeil, R. Pierce Jr,
S. Thomson, K. Wood |
| No. 238 G. Atkinson, I. Bryce, T. Keith,
R. Ripley | No. 425 K. Henderson, E. Clysdale,
C. Johnston, S. Smith |
| No. 294 G. Atkinson, E. Clysdale, C. Johnston, | |

SOUTH HURON DISTRICT

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| No. 33 L. Harrison, G. Morgan | No. 309 J. Wise |
| No. 73 S. Hearn, G. Mitchell | No. 332 S. Cappie, W. Brown, S. Budge,
I. Fraser, W. Malmo, A. Preszcator |
| No. 133 W. Bannon, G. Miller, G. Atkinson,
J. Eckel, F. Hoffman, R. Wurm | No. 483 J. Harding, W. Malmo, R. Marshall |
| No. 141 P. Hume, R. Ashbourne, W. Hube,
R. Hume, D. Stewart | No. 574 H. Elliott, B. Smith, D. Walker |
| No. 144 A. McCready, R. Wurm, S. Budge,
A. Preszcator, T. Ridgway | No. 748 S. Budge, R. Cadotte, D. Cameron,
N. Dolson, L. Feldt, F. Gregory, I. Horvath,
A. McCready, C. More, A. Preszcator,
R. Shular, R. Wurm |
| No. 170 J. Coultres, M. Harrower | |

ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT

- No. 5 D. Moore, M. Humes, S. Lawrence,
G. Mielke, P. Smith
No. 14 J. Munro, D. Rogers
No. 24 S. Lawrence, M. Schokking, J. Coulter,
P. Weagle
No. 28 E. Thompson, C. Minor, J. Graham,
W. Kinnaid, S. Lechner, J. Saunders,
R. Schrader
No. 55 J. Coulter, M. Ashman, C. Minor
No. 74 J. Brown, R. Denison, E. Earle,
D. Mumby
No. 85 C. Toohey, G. Atkinson, K. Brayton,
R. Duff, R. Ferguson, H. Griggs, G. Loshaw,
D. Miller, D. Mumby, M. Phillips,
A. Whitehorne, D. Wilkins
No. 110 R. Shannon, G. Mielke, K. Milburn,
B. Paterson
No. 209 J. Graham, J. Munro
No. 242 P. Wykes
No. 368 R. Miller, D. Mumby, A. Whitehorne
No. 370 M. Bonner, G. Loshaw, C. Minor,
L. Vincent
No. 387 D. Wilkins, R. Tedford, R. Haynes,
C. Gibbins, B. Nash, R. Palmer
No. 416 R. Easton, R. Fritz
No. 504 C. Minor, D. Wills
No. 556 B. Heward, J. Hunter,
W. Montgomery, D. Mumby, W. Smith
No. 650 C. Minor

ST. THOMAS DISTRICT

- No. 44 W. Dunn, J. Johnston, R. Ross,
D. Steward
No. 94 T. Ronald, R. Lee, R. Cadotte,
M. Gordon, J. Leadbetter, J. Robinson,
R. Ronald
No. 120 R. Coniam, G. Atkinson, D. Durham,
D. Nichols, C. Nichols, N. Walters
No. 171 T. Keith, D. Durham, A. Cowie,
S. Durham, G. Galbraith, C. Gratton,
R. Howe, G. Hughson, A. Jones, R. Keith,
J. Muir, D. O'Neil, T. Ronald, T. Walker,
C. Webster
No. 232 R. Reid, A. Galbraith, C. Armstrong,
G. Galbraith, J. McIntyre, T. Walker
No. 302 C. Jones, A. Cowie, D. Durham,
S. Durham, C. Gratton, G. Hughson, A. Jones,
B. Jones, A. McEvoy, D. O'Neil
No. 364 G. Howe, R. Howe, J. Robinson,
C. Webster
No. 386 J. Johnston, J. Muir

SUDBURY-MANITOULIN DISTRICT

- No. 427 J. Reynolds, T. Morris, P. Liukko,
R. Fleming, J. Innes, R. Luoma, R. South,
C. Stephenson
No. 455 M. Terry, G. Fraser, N. Hore,
D. Mumby
No. 527 R. Akkanen, G. Fraser, P. Gillespie,
D. Hodgins, W. Moffatt
No. 536 D. Squarzolo, D. Gravelle, J. Bell,
P. Gillespie, N. Hore, B. Koivu, M. Lees,
D. Mumby
No. 588 D. McAleece
No. 658 D. Spencer, D. Ashick, G. Cayen,
R. Daigle, J. Dixon, A. Hill, S. Khoury,
D. Roy
No. 691 D. Rowe, M. Woodliffe, A. Fey,
S. Khoury, J. Mischczak, B. Stoddart
No. 699 R. Akkanen, K. Jansons, D. Rousell,
H. Saville

TEMISKAMING DISTRICT

- No. 462 C. Alexander, B. Praskey
No. 506 D. MacMillan Jr., D. MacMillan,
T. Pachal
No. 507 C. Alexander, B. Praskey
No. 528 K. Gage, W. Sweet
No. 534 M. McLaren, I. MacPherson,
G. Nelson
No. 623 R. Kliaman, I. MacPherson, T. Shand

TORONTO DON VALLEY DISTRICT

- No. 16 I. Juric, A. Ttooulias, J. Rock,
R. De Juan, H. Jugo, J. Navarro, D. Scott
No. 25 M. MacDonald, D. Tate, B. Patterson,
L. Ben-Eliezer, A. De Vries, A. Di Cecco,
R. Groshaw, G. Partington, D. Sabourin,
P. Skazin, E. Taimazov, M. Warren
No. 86 J. Challet, J. Tetaka, R. Groshaw,
M. Manfredi, H. Matern, J. Pearson, R. Sircar,
A. Soltanzadeh, S. Soltanzadeh, S. Whiteley,
H. Woodhead
No. 156 J. Forbes, V. Phillips, M. Black,
G. Campbell, D. Campbell, K. Campbell,
D. Fernandes, G. Forbes, N. Friedman,
R. Kliaman, S. Schatzker, G. Stewart,
R. Takeda
No. 265 E. Caspar, A. Nicolaides, A. Back,
S. Charikar, A. Cobb, G. Crutcher,
R. Groshaw, F. Halpern, K. Lawrence,
S. Lipton, S. Maizels, D. Mumby, W.
Pedersen, H. Xanthopoulos, S. Xanthopoulos
No. 316 V. Rubinoff, A. Di Cecco, A. Donovan
No. 367 B. Chatwell, E. Zovighian,
M. Hargraves, L. Ben-Eliezer, W. Chatwell,
W. Jensen, I. MacFarlane, D. Martyn,
D. Sabourin
No. 522 P. Robinson, M. Maltz, S. Spagat,
M. Black, N. Friedman, K. Goldblum, A. Han,
K. Holdsworth, D. Kemball, I. Lazar,

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- M. Litvak, S. Maizels, O. Muresan, V. Rubinoff,
S. Schatzker, M. Schechter, H. Sookdeo,
P. Stern
- No. 531 V. Solokhine, H. Altunyuzuk, J. Boyle
W. Boyle, J. Domonkos, C. Infante, J.
McGregor, J. McGregor, L. Phillips, D.
Swann, H. Wright
- No. 559 R. Karass, M. Black, L. Feldt,
R. Groshaw, K. Holdsworth, S. Maizels,
M. Schechter, P. Stern
- No. 570 D. Bergerson, R. Gomes, R. Sampath,
B. Blyden-Taylor, D. Campbell, R. Deline,
C. Drew, B. Edwards, F. Halpern,
K. MacDonald, A. McLelland, R. Scott,
P. Selvaraj, T. Shand, L. Smith, W. Utton
- No. 581 C. Thomson, A. Racine, M. Dave,

- K. Jansons
- No. 586 B. San Juan, J. Curry, R. Deline,
H. Keleshian, D. Lee, D. McNulty,
B. Patterson, L. Smith
- No. 592 D. Rothwell, A. Gulgeze,
N. Chatzifilalithis, S. Lipton, W. McCormack,
M. Saygin, G. Taylor, W. Thomson
- No. 611 J. Graham, A. Nichols, R. Telford
- No. 620 P. Ghattas, F. Lagula, A. Donovan,
R. Groshaw
- No. 629 D. Manalo, R. De Juan, J. Chua, E. Jao,
L. Manaois, T. Shand, R. Tan
- No. 676 H. Keleshian, E. Burrell,
L. Ben-Eliezer, D. Wright
- No. 696 M. Elliott, M. McKenna

TORONTO EAST DISTRICT

- No. 87 D. Fallows, D. Jamieson,
M. Cipollone, D. Campbell, R. Deline,
G. Dougan, B. Grimbleby, L. Guilfoyle,
M. Ingram, J. McDonald, C. McOuat,
R. McOuat, E. Milley, W. Russell, F. Scali,
J. Seale, W. Von Kalben
- No. 269 L. Fisher, D. Evans, B. Grimbleby,
E. Jones, L. Lombardi, W. Lord, J. McDonald,
D. Neave, M. Parish, W. Willis
- No. 384 W. Smith, U. Dessouassi, K. Chute,
T. Fulton, R. Johnson, J. McKinnon Jr.,
R. Rego, A. Sachak, W. Shane
- No. 424 B. Palanik, H. Jomehri, A. McDonald,
G. Cousins, J. Houghton, M. Ikonomidis,
W. McLeish, W. Nicholson, W. Sanders,
T. Shand, W. Utton
- No. 430 D. Rankin, R. Hernaez, C. Drew,
J. Ferrer, I. Franco, G. Ludgate, D. McAuliffe,
R. McGill, T. Shand
- No. 473 J. Curry, J. Miles, G. Boyce,
A. Dvorak, S. Giles, D. Gray, J. Holmes,
R. Jewell, J. Johnston, A. McDonald,
D. McNulty, R. Richardson, P. Selvaraj,
P. Sialtsis, N. Zarafonitis
- No. 494 D. Marangos, D. Campbell,
G. Campbell, G. Carreiro, R. Groshaw,
D. Phelan, D. Rankin, W. Willis
- No. 520 R. Culbertson, E. Aspiraš, K. Black,
C. Cabrera, T. Carlton, R. Castaneda,
I. Clunie, J. Das, C. Foreman, R. Groshaw,
S. Kirby, G. Rhodes, P. Sialtsis
- No. 532 R. Kliaman, R. Allgood, D. Bergerson,
R. Beverley, M. Bradley, D. Campbell,
R. Groshaw, K. Jones, G. King,

- W. McKeown, E. Russell
- No. 543 R. Gatt, A. Arnold, W. Willis, N. Dee,
D. Gibson, R. Groshaw, R. Lundy, D. Mason,
D. Neave, M. Parish, L. Paterson, R. Scott,
D. Surovy
- No. 576 P. Sialtsis, D. Tetrault, M. Coulter,
K. Jones, T. Owens
- No. 612 R. Johnson, E. De Beaupre,
T. Doughty, C. Drew, J. Keith, F. Kilian,
J. McKinnon Jr., M. Morris, J. Pickett,
P. Sialtsis, R. Thomas
- No. 637 M. Wilson, T. Williams, G. Atkinson,
H. Clarke, C. Drew, D. Forbes, M. MacLean,
A. Pendleton, A. Petrisor, R. Steenson,
T. Walker, A. Wilson
- No. 647 D. Mason, N. Dee, T. Fulton, P. Hillis,
L. Paterson, D. Rankin, W. Reiach, W. Smith
- No. 653 E. Arlitt, D. Baxter, D. Campbell,
S. Caruso, M. Eid, S. Jackman, F. MacKay,
A. McLelland, J. Rabot, R. Steenson
- No. 670 E. Goodwin, B. Villiers, B. Dias,
R. Johnston, M. Kiloh, B. Marcano,
J. McGregor, J. McGregor, J. Ouellette,
R. Thompson, A. Thornton, D. Wilson
- No. 683 P. Penchoff, C. Phillips, A. Phillips,
S. Bacchus, R. Baker, H. Bishop, J. Das,
M. Eid, G. McHallam, L. Muss,
R. Narinesingh, G. Newall, R. Rego, J. Seale,
T. Shand, S. Spence, J. Vasko, E. Washington
- No. 705 M. Bradley, A. Gilmour, J. Law
- No. 729 T. Hawken, J. Nichol, R. Binns,
C. Drew, K. Fralick, M. Ikonomidis, T. Shand,
R. Steenson, C. Sturgeon

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- No. 65 A. Mitchell, S. Whiteley
- No. 247 H. Bautista, G. Atkinson, M. Manfredi,
E. Ralph
- No. 305 N. Lisboa, B. Tuncertan, R. Huntley,
V. Codato, D. Greenway, J. Hernandez,
G. Maddison, D. Mumby, M. Schwantes,

- V. Tavares, A. Turk, S. Wiersma
- No. 339 J. Szymczyk, F. Besenthal, A. Cowan,
D. Hutt, P. Lumsden, B. McAteer,
R. Murdoch, G. Robinson, C. Scott, J. Tranter
- No. 343 C. Androne, J. King, M. Black,
H. Clarke, B. Davenport, A. Donovan,

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- D. Down, W. Drew, C. Drew, M. Drew,
T. Dyer, T. Edwards, R. Groshaw, J. Hough,
K. Jones, K. McCowan, G. McCowan,
J. McLaughlin, T. Shand
No. 369 M. Dow, R. Groshaw, G. Pollinger,
J. Ronstead
No. 410 T. Brown, W. Chatwell
No. 510 A. Stoddart, V. Codato, D. Blake,
L. Bodrogi, D. Campbell, D. Hawman,
T. McLean, C. Sinclair
No. 537 D. Walker, P. Kelly, R. Moore,
L. Pipher
No. 547 J. Hough, W. Chatwell, J. Jack Jr.,
E. Loiselle, R. Moore, R. Scott
No. 571 D. Frankland, I. Smith, D. Semple,
B. Blyden-Taylor, D. Campbell, J. Cassie,
W. Chisholm, T. Fernando, C. Ignatius,
J. Marshall, R. Potts, T. Shand, T. Van Horne
No. 575 J. Eyzaguirre, R. Collins, E. Espinosa,
A. Ewing, D. Mumby, E. Palacol, A. Petrisor,
M. Resposio, D. Sheen, E. Stewart, D. Swann,
S. Wiersma
No. 599 K. Ho, H. Sookdeo, G. Harrison Jr.,
F. Cammisuli, V. Codato, D. Dewar,
R. Groshaw, G. Knapp, S. Knapp, D. Mumby,
H. Somir, E. Stewart
No. 600 T. Bennell, T. Groth, C. Giles,
W. Burgoyne, G. Novia, D. Stevens,
W. Vollick
No. 606 W. Almeida, E. Codack, J. Romano,
J. Vasko
No. 644 L. Semple, S. Murphy, S. Benli,
B. Booker, J. Hough, H. Schulz, D. Semple,
T. Van Horne, J. Wilson, H. Woodhead
No. 655 D. Smith, G. Taylor, D. Traves
No. 664 J. Robinson, J. Hadad, H. Ansara,
L. Barrett, D. Dowling, R. Foote, D. Humble,
H. Jones, A. Loopstra, K. McKaye,
T. McLean, J. Romano, J. Seckington,
A. Stoddart, C. Winter
No. 713 E. Espinosa, G. Golding, H. McKnight
No. 733 I. Casey, V. Codato, S. Benli,
L. Bodrogi, J. Hough, R. Kliaman,
J. La Berge, A. McCausland, H. McKnight,
G. Pollinger

TORONTO WEST DISTRICT

- No. 229 R. Faraon, J. Thomas, D. Barnwell,
L. Di Salvia, J. Dorris, M. Gaspic,
R. Groshaw, J. Kawenka
No. 356 A. Bartolome, O. Barazi, D. Barnwell,
B. Collins, A. Duerden, M. Duncan, W. Hube,
H. Jando, A. McCausland, R. Murphy,
A. Raymond
No. 468 I. MacFarlane, J. Appleby,
A. Cunningham, T. Shannon
No. 474 B. Challet, J. Andrews, J. Challet,
D. Eyford, W. Holtham, D. Junop,
R. McTavish, D. Papavramidis,
A. Soltanzadeh
No. 496 R. Cipriani, B. Adams, M. Dave,
K. Jansons, C. Le Gresley, J. Lloyd,
A. Petrisor, S. Warren
No. 501 I. Balog, R. Campbell, W. Holtham,
J. Pownall, N. Seawright
No. 524 J. McLaughlin, H. Penaflor-Marcek,
L. Francis, H. Adams, A. Avila, W. Bath,
P. Booker, G. Burt, J. Delmas, D. Garcia,
I. Gardner, P. Hebert, V. Lala, J. Lawson,
A. Penaflor, E. Recuenco, D. Roberts,
S. Toner
No. 548 J. Challet, V. Tavares
No. 565 P. Horrigan, B. Thomson, W. Bain,
G. Dickson, R. Lund, A. McLelland,
N. Thomson
No. 566 S. Bagatin, Y. Lebedev, L. Crocker,
C. Drew, S. Jackson, H. McKnight, E. Walsh,
W. Wingrove
No. 619 V. Lala, N. Richard, V. Tavares,
G. Turek
No. 630 J. Delmas, B. McAteer, C. Sinclair,
J. Szymczyk
No. 632 A. Ewing, R. Tumminieri, R. Tschudi,
L. Barrett, L. Crocker, J. Romano,
M. Schwindt, G. Turek, E. Walsh
No. 640 D. Stewart, E. Klitbo, C. Chapin,
C. Knox, H. McKnight
No. 645 M. Winstanley, A. Norwood,
W. Armstrong, S. Armstrong
No. 674 A. Avila, E. Cordon, D. Garcia
No. 685 M. Ellis, C. Bletzas, T. Davis, E. Lim
No. 689 L. Dawley, S. Ellstrom, D. Sybliss
No. 710 D. Hill, A. Duerden, B. Graham,
H. Omardeen, G. Parmar, M. Phull, B. Sukhu,
G. Thompson
No. 727 G. Taylor, W. Bath, P. Hebert,
G. Sutherland
No. 734 K. Furlong, M. Lund, G. Durst,
R. Bryant, K. Bugley, D. Clarke, F. Franklin,
R. Groshaw, T. Horner, J. Jack Jr., L. Jansurik,
N. Johnstone, C. Knox, E. Morrison,
H. Palmer, J. Phoenix, C. Phoenix, N. Sammy,
G. Warner, P. Watsham, C. Woods
No. 738 L. Caprio, T. Di Nardo, S. Armstrong,
W. Armstrong, E. De Thomasis, B. Edwards,
R. Kliaman, S. Maizels, W. Martin,
H. McKnight, D. Papavramidis, D. Sheen,
G. Sutherland
No. 740 W. Bain, J. Cook, R. Johnson,
H. McKnight, J. Nicoll

VICTORIA DISTRICT

- No. 77 M. Smith, L. Bell, K. Campbell, R. Faas, A. Hawkins, S. Sisson
 No. 268 K. Ingram, P. Ferguson, J. Wylie, A. Zimmerman
 No. 354 S. Sisson
 No. 375 R. Faas, J. Morrison
 No. 398 I. Burney, B. Anderson, W. McLeish
 No. 406 J. Shea, R. Dunn, B. Gyton, R. Webster
 No. 408 P. Anderson, J. Appleby, D. Jolly, K. Morgan, J. Warren
 No. 440 B. Robb, M. Ward, J. Thomas, B. Austen, G. Kellett, N. Pawluch, W. Reed
 No. 463 R. Parish, S. Sisson, G. Cooper, J. Deak, R. Hillier, R. Johnson, J. Lee, B. Lewis, N. Pawluch, R. Porter, M. Smith, F. Waller
 No. 464 J. Allin, J. Gorrell, R. Janes, R. Oldfield
 No. 477 J. Gorrill
 No. 498 K. McCrea
 No. 608 G. Scott, M. Forster, R. Hanks

WATERLOO DISTRICT

- No. 72 B. Rowat, W. Shortreed, G. Atkinson, R. Blueman, R. Kaufman, R. Lawrence, S. Sinclair
 No. 151 R. Carter, D. Hay, C. Atkinson, R. Barrett, E. Besenschek, N. Bobier, D. Byers, R. Callander, D. Cameron, J. Cunningham Jr., D. Fiskien, J. Graham, J. Harvey, G. Holmlund, N. Platz, E. Ward, D. Wildfong, W. Wolfe
 No. 172 A. Haag, J. Wilson, D. Buck, F. Gregory, W. Griffiths, S. Mohan
 No. 205 R. Fleming, D. Graham, J. Kroezen, D. McDonald, A. Nichols, K. Thompson, R. Zilles
 No. 279 S. Mohan, A. Petrisor, E. Stewart
 No. 297 W. Bowles, W. Brown, K. Elligson, K. Feldcamp, H. Markle, M. Woolley
 No. 318 W. Justason, S. Farooq, D. Fickling, R. Kaufman, K. McGeagh, J. Mittelholtz, W. Reidl, R. Stewart, D. West
 No. 509 J. McCullough, J. Vieira, B. Lowry, E. Patterson, J. Smith
 No. 539 J. Rankine, H. Bishop, D. Fickling, R. Fleming, R. Galbraith, D. Graham, F. Gregory, D. Leverette, G. Ough, A. Rodgers, B. Snider
 No. 628 R. Bock, A. Kennedy, E. Ward
 No. 722 W. Griffiths, J. Walden, J. Wilson
 No. 744 J. Wilson, W. Cussler, G. Atkinson, D. Cameron, F. Gregory, A. Haag, J. Kroezen, G. Morgan, D. Mumby, T. Shand, J. Smith, J. Walden

WELLINGTON DISTRICT

- No. 180 G. Kerr, G. Farb, J. Kerr, H. Law, D. McCombe, D. Robinson, N. Stephens, C. Trapp
 No. 203 M. Bowman, C. Brown, A. De Vries, J. Malloch, R. Roberts, S. Steen, R. Wilson
 No. 219 B. Clarke, S. Harrison, D. Scheeringa
 No. 258 M. Smyth, C. Charron, G. Pennings, G. Powell, W. Rogers
 No. 271 B. Reyniers, D. Weightman, J. Brennan, D. Butcher, P. Gillespie, P. McGrenere, H. Standish, P. Westbere
 No. 295 A. Cunningham, J. Green, R. Groshaw, E. Schneider
 No. 321 G. Ferguson
 No. 361 J. Hammill, H. Bishop, K. De Spiegelaere, G. Curl, R. Gray, G. Insley, J. Johnson, P. McSherry, D. Tourangeau, L. Wardlaw
 No. 688 M. Adanza, M. Hawkes
 No. 724 D. Stewart, D. Walker, P. Carberry, D. Hamilton, H. Law, B. Poole, L. Sulzer, W. Sweet
 No. 742 M. Woolley, G. Curl, A. De Vries, J. Green, D. Hamilton, R. Jewell, J. Johnson, P. McGrenere, W. Rogers, E. Schneider, W. Sweet

WESTERN DISTRICT

- No. 414 R. Kitowski
 No. 417 R. Kitowski
 No. 445 R. Kitowski
 No. 484 I. Kiewning, C. McFayden
 No. 518 C. McFayden
 No. 660 C. McFayden

WILSON NORTH DISTRICT

- No. 37 J. Peter, D. Rumble
 No. 43 B. Burrill, J. Ault, G. Atkinson, D. Foster, S. Harrison, D. Wilton
 No. 68 S. David, K. Cunningham, B. Kempston, S. Naisbitt, J. Sawyers
 No. 76 D. Foster, R. Dobbs, A. Iwaniw, A. Petrisor, J. Sutherland
 No. 108 W. Redekop, L. Wight
 No. 178 J. Ault, R. Blueman, M. Chesney, J. Devries, T. Siemiernik
 No. 250 K. Chute
 No. 261 C. Aspden, G. Atkinson, M. Chesney, J. Devries, D. Dowling, J. Green, A. Petrisor, T. Shand, T. Siemiernik
 No. 569 R. McKay, R. Hryniw, W. McKay, G. Mitchell
 No. 609 R. Carney, M. De Belleval, B. Tettman
 No. 678 R. Roberts, R. Findlater, D. Grimshaw, A. Petrisor

WILSON SOUTH DISTRICT

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| No. 10 J. Paquette, D. Waller | I. McFadden, T. Pow |
| No. 78 D. Palmer, B. Kempston, J. Rasokas,
J. Withington | No. 181 R. Bradfield |
| No. 104 D. Barnim, N. Dolson, B. Hooftman,
J. McWilliam | No. 237 J. Withington |
| No. 149 G. Forrest, W. Butler, J. Cook, | No. 624 R. Dobbs, J. Withington |
| | No. 701 D. Simmonds, D. Bentley, A. Pleli,
J. Withington, P. Woods |

YORK DISTRICT

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| No. 22 T. Terzakis, P. Grantham, J. Aide,
K. Bannayan, R. Groshaw, M. Hajjar,
R. Heyworth, E. Holt, L. Ibe, N. Johnstone,
F. McIntosh, A. Mitchell, J. Pearson,
R. Petroff, S. Roussetos, G. Vlastakis | L. Gough, D. Ryckman |
| No. 23 D. Vitto, G. Brown, U. Toledo,
R. Guerrero, I. Lazar, B. Stapley,
R. Trumphour | No. 136 P. Anderson, H. Colquhoun,
A. Dvorak, B. Gyton, J. Johnston,
T. Lonergan, R. Morreau, S. Pickard,
J. Rennie, W. Sanders, T. Shand, J. Wylie |
| No. 54 C. Tucci, J. Reid, S. Chagger, D. Lane,
B. Stapley, W. Thompson | No. 220 D. Kemball, C. Wilson, S. Spagat,
E. De Beaupre, E. Testa |
| No. 79 L. Hamilton, G. Pohle, J. Trotter | No. 292 V. Viguilla, M. Black, W. Boyle,
D. Lane, F. McIntosh, W. Rawlins |
| No. 97 H. Colquhoun, R. Cowieson,
T. Johnston, J. Pearson, L. Pipher | No. 311 D. Cipollone, M. Willer, D. Eccles,
W. DeJesus, J. MacKenzie |
| No. 98 G. MacLaren, B. Hartley, P. Clemence,
W. Dobson, N. Publow | No. 481 D. Henrickson, R. Groshaw,
L. Hamilton, H. Koch, S. Lochran, R. Martin,
R. Murdock, A. Quinn, S. Whiteley,
H. Williams |
| No. 99 W. Doel, A. McDowell, R. Ellery,
L. Barclay, A. Elder, D. Emerson,
R. Emerson, L. Hamilton, R. Hutchinson,
E. Janes, R. Janes, D. Llewellyn, D. Martin,
J. McGill, R. Muir, D. Purvis, D. Slessor,
C. Stevenson | No. 512 E. Earle, G. Forrest, W. Foster,
P. Friese, T. Gray |
| No. 118 W. Cober, S. Bailie, J. Boyle,
W. Boyle, G. Burt, A. Quinn, R. Wood | No. 634 W. Thompson |
| No. 129 P. Ferrante, S. Lilly, R. Bellows, | No. 635 F. Kiameh, J. Dahdaly, R. Groshaw,
G. Pohle, J. Trotter, K. Zabaneh |
| | No. 646 D. Fernandes, P. Laureyssens, W. Leek |
| | No. 702 D. Bayne, R. Guerrero, E. Paz,
S. Soltanzadeh, C. Thomas, D. Thomas,
D. Vitto |

GUESTS

M.W. Bro. R. E. Groshaw presented to the Grand Master and introduced to Grand Lodge the following distinguished guests:

BRITISH COLUMBIA
M.W. Bro. George Moore
Grand Secretary

MANITOBA
M.W. Bro. Thomas D. Love
Grand Master
M.W. Bro. Doug Webster
P.G.M./ Grand Secretary

MICHIGAN
M.W. Bro. Joshua M. Woodwyk
Grand Master
M.W. Bro. Robert Conley
P.G.M./ Grand Secretary

NATIONALE FRANÇAISE
R.W. Bro. Jean-Claude Tardivat
Honorary Grand Master
R.W. Bro. Jean-Pierre Rollett
Deputy Grand Master

NEWFOUNDLAND & LABRADOR
M.W. Bro. Cluney W. G. Vincent
Grand Master
R.W. Bro. Dan Crocker
Grand Secretary

NEW HAMPSHIRE
M.W. Bro. John E. Lobdell
Grand Master

NORTH CAROLINA
M.W. Bro. Arnold G. Cobb Jr.
Grand Master

NOVA SCOTIA
M.W. Bro. John M. Cody
Grand Master

OHIO
M.W. Bro. Douglas Kaylor
Grand Master

PRINCE HALL (Ontario & Jurisdiction)
M.W. Bro. Headley G. Lewis
Grand Master

QUEBEC
M.W. Bro. André Boivin
Grand Master
R.W. Bro. Ronald Coderre
Grand Secretary

SASKATCHEWAN
M.W. Bro. Randy Sherstobitoff
Grand Master

ANC & ACCEPTED SCOTTISH RITE
Ill. Bro. Terry McLean
Sovereign Grand Commander

ROYAL ARCH MASONS
M.Ex.Comp. Alan Donovan
Grand First Principal

MOCHA SHRINERS
Ill Sir. Garry A. Willsie
Potentate

ORDER OF EASTERN STAR
Susan Purdy
Worthy Grand Matron

Grand Honours were then given, led by the Grand Director of Ceremonies.

PAST GRAND MASTERS

The Grand Master presented our Past Grand Masters who were present, namely: M.W. Bros. Ronald E. Groshaw, Terence Shand, Donald H. Mumby, Gary L. Atkinson, Allan J. Petrisor, D. Garry Dowling, and Donald A. Campbell. Grand Honours were given.

ADDRESS OF WELCOME TO GRAND LODGE

W. Bro. Wesley Almeida, Master of Unity Lodge No. 606, Toronto Humber Valley District, delivered the Address of Welcome, which was responded to by M.W. Bro. John C. Green, Grand Master.

MINUTES

The Grand Secretary proceeded to read the Minutes of the last meeting held in Toronto, on July 20, 2016, when it was moved by M.W. Bro. A. J. Petrisor, seconded by M.W. Bro. Gary L. Atkinson, and resolved: That inasmuch as the Minutes of the last Annual Communication held in Toronto have been printed and distributed to all constituent lodges the same be now taken as read and confirmed.

RULES OF ORDER

As the Grand Secretary read the Rules of Order as prescribed by the Constitution of Grand Lodge, it was moved by M.W. Bro. Donald A. Campbell, seconded by M.W. Bro. D. Garry Dowling, and resolved: That the Order of Business of this Annual Communication be changed at the discretion of the Grand Master.

M.W. Bro. John C. Green announced that R.W. Bro. F. Halpern had accepted the request to serve as parliamentarian, and any controversial constitutional problems that may arise would be decided by Bro. Halpern.

M.W. Bro. John C. Green announced that V.W. Bro. D. Lane had accepted the request to serve as the official photographer.

GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

John C. Green

July 2017

To the Officers and Members of the Most Worshipful Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada, in the Province of Ontario.

Brethren:

I welcome you to the 162nd Annual Communication of our Grand Lodge. It is with great pride I take this opportunity to provide you the ceremonies and celebrations of this past Masonic Year. The state of Masonry is stable in this Grand Jurisdiction. As we have exemplified in years gone past Masonry itself is bigger and stronger than any obstacles that challenged its path. I want to thank so many members of the Masonic family who have graciously displayed their hospitality and kindness during our travels. Your friendship and generosity will always remain in our hearts forever. To quote Bob Hope, I could sum it up best "THANKS FOR THE MEMORIES".

Although the opportunities of certain Masonic situations continue to challenge us, I am confident that our integrity and common sense will guide us to the best possible resolutions and for the betterment of the craft. The current Masonic leadership must also be recognized for taking the time to serve Freemasonry. The abilities and skills that our membership has offered indicate what talented inventories we have within our craft to solve most any situation. These brethren have the resources necessary to protect our principles and motivate our ambitions. I have had the opportunity, often with Barb by my side, to spend some time in every district of our Grand Jurisdiction and I can tell you there is great enthusiasm about the future of Masonry in Ontario. That is a tribute to everyone who is associated with Masonry, especially the Masonic Family.

NECROLOGY

During the past year we have experienced many brethren who have passed to the Grand Lodge Above. Their contributions will long be remembered in the history of Masonry in Ontario.

R.W. Bro. Jason Ashley

District Deputy Grand Master – 2016

Jason Ashley was a proud and diligent servant to Freemasonry, following in the footsteps of his father who was DDGM of Temiskaming in 1987. Jason was initiated in Cochrane Lodge No. 530 in 1995. He affiliated with Algonquin Lodge No. 536 in 2009 and served as Worshipful Master in 2011. Jason was elected District Deputy Grand Master of Sudbury-Manitoulin District in July 2016. He was very proud of his participation in Masonry. He was also active as Past Thrice Puissant Grand Master in the Sudbury Lodge of Perfection in the Sudbury Valley. He was coroneted Honourary Inspector General of Supreme Council of Scottish Rite of Canada 33°. Jason was a medical doctor who worked diligently to cure and comfort those who were in ill health. R.W. Bro. Ashley passed to the Grand Lodge Above May 2, 2017. He was 43 years old.

R.W. Bro. Charles H.M. Reid**District Deputy Grand Master – 1986**

Charlie Reid was passionate about Freemasonry for 58 years. He was initiated into Temple Lodge No. 525 in June 1958. He served as Worshipful Master of that lodge four times, 1967, 1977, 1983 and 1989. After Temple lodge amalgamated with Kilwinning Lodge No. 565 in 1992 he served as Master twice in 1997 and 1998. Charlie affiliated with a number of Lodges; Chinguacousy Lodge No. 738, Heritage Lodge No. 730, Runnymede Lodge No. 619, Anniversary Lodge No. 733, Dufferin Daylight Lodge No. 570 and Millennium Lodge No. 743. He also served as Worshipful Master of Runnymede and Heritage Lodge. Charlie was involved with the Lodge of Instruction for several years. He was appointed to the Board of General Purposes in 2003. He was elected to the board in 2011 and 2013 and remained on the Board until 2016. Charlie was recognized for his service receiving his 50 year pin in 2008. Charlie was active in concordant bodies: Royal Arch Masons, Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite [33°] and Ancient Arabic Order, Nobles of the Mystic Shrine, Rameses Temple. Charlie Reid had two treasures he cherished in life, his family and Freemasonry. He passed to the Grand Lodge Above March 19, 2017 at age 81.

R.W. Bro. Norman Lansdell**District Deputy Grand Master – 1969**

Norman Lewis Lansdell was initiated in Nilestown Lodge No. 345 in 1947. He served as Worshipful Master in 1958. He was elected District Deputy Grand Master of London East District in 1969. Norm affiliated with London Daylight Lodge No. 735 in 1982. Norm was accomplished musically and enjoyed himself by entertaining various audiences especially retirement homes and nursing homes in the London area. He maintained a driver's license until he was one hundred years old. R.W. Bro. Lansdell was in his comfort zone when talking about his Masonic experiences. He always proudly demonstrated his joy and pride of being a mason. Norm passed away December 11th one month short of 101 years old.

R.W. Bro. R. John Keith**District Deputy Grand Master – 1986**

John Keith was a member of Prince of Wales Lodge No. 171 for 63 years and was initiated on October 8, 1953. He served as Worshipful Master in 1964. He served as Tyler of the lodge several times. He was famous for welcoming visitors with a big smile and a hearty handshake. He always made one feel comfortable as a visitor. John served as District Deputy Grand Master of St. Thomas District in 1982. John was a proud father when his two sons, Tom and Robert, were DDGMs together in 2005; Robert in St. Thomas District and Tom in Sarnia District. John was also an active member of London Lodge of Perfection, London Chapter of Rose Croix, Hamilton Valley Sovereign Consistory and Mocha Shrine. He passed to the Grand Lodge Above January 10, 2017. R.W. Bro. Dean Padden commented in 2013: "John's friendly and personable disposition bode well for him during his year as DDGM. His lodge, his district and family are all very proud of him. You set the bar high and you are still doing it."

R.W. Bro. Frank Gerald Dunn**Grand Junior Warden – 1987**

Frank Dunn was initiated into Credit Lodge No. 219 in 1964 and affiliated with Lakeshore Lodge No. 645 in 1965. He served as Worshipful Master of that lodge in 1978. Frank allowed his name to stand for Grand Junior Warden and was

elected in 1987. R.W. Bro. Dunn was appointed to the Board of General Purposes in 1991 and elected in 1993. Frank was well travelled throughout our Grand Jurisdiction. He was known for his great smile. Everyone enjoyed his company as he made all those around him comfortable with a happy attitude towards life.

R.W. Bro. Walter James Drane

Grand Junior Warden – 2013

Walter Drane became a dedicated mason in West Hill Lodge No. 670 in January 1982. Walter thrived in the excitement and enthusiasm he experienced in Masonry. He progressed to Worshipful Master of West Hill in 2008 and was elected as Grand junior Warden of our Grand Lodge in 2013. Walter had a wide scope of knowledge about Freemasonry in Ontario particularly in Toronto East District. His willingness to assist and encourage others will long be remembered.

PAST RANK

Pursuant to Section 73 of the Book of Constitution, I recommend the rank of Past Master be conferred upon the following brother who was unable to serve 12 months as Worshipful Master.

- **W. Bro. Joe Tereschuk**, St. John's Lodge No. 63, Carleton Place

HONOURARY RANK

Pursuant to Section 73, I propose that the rank and title of Past Grand Senior Warden [Honourary] be conferred upon **V.W. Bro. Michael Locke** in recognition of the dedication and leadership he has demonstrated by playing an important role improving our Grand Lodge website to the benefit our entire membership in recent years. Michael has also been involved in Niagara A district assisting in promoting Grand Lodge programs. V.W. Sir we offer congratulations for your untiring efforts of providing a valuable service to our Grand Jurisdiction.

WILLIAM MERCER WILSON MEDAL

The William Mercer Wilson Medal is awarded only to a Brother who will not become a Worshipful Master or Past Master, but who has rendered service far beyond the call of duty. Each brother has had to demonstrate outstanding loyalty and dedication to the Craft and his community and have received the endorsement of his peers. They have given their time and energy to Freemasonry, to their communities and church that have earned them the respect of their brethren which prompted them and the Grand Lodge Awards Committee to recognize their achievements.

It has been my great honour to personally present the William Mercer Wilson Award to Bro. Jack Yourt of Glengarry Highland Lodge No. 418 in Eastern District on Saturday November 26th, 2016.

GRAND MASTER'S MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARD

The Grand Master's Meritorious Award was established by M.W. Bro. William Pellow in 1987-88. The purpose of the award is to recognize the continuous service provided by those individuals who have contributed significantly to Freemasonry. These brethren have earned our respect and deserve recognition of all masons throughout the Grand Lodge of A.F. and A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

1. **R.W. Bro. H. Edward Standish**, Acacia Lodge No. 61, Hamilton B District and Wellington Lodge No. 271, Wellington District, District Deputy Grand Master 1998, Hamilton B District.
2. **R.W. Bro. Gregory Hazlitt**, Morning Star Lodge No. 309, South Huron District, District Deputy Grand Master 1984, South Huron District.
3. **R.W. Bro. William J. L. Larry Weeks**, Algoma Lodge No. 469, Algoma East District, District Deputy Grand Master 1982, Algoma East District.

APPOINTMENTS

In accordance with Section 131[e] of the Book of Constitution I am pleased to announce the re-appointment of **R.W. Bro. David Jacklin** as an Honourary member of the Board of General Purposes for a three year term 2017-2020. I am also announcing the appointment of **V.W. Bro. Michael Locke** to a three year term as an Honourary member of the board of General Purposes 2017-2020. I want to thank **R.W. Bro. George Mitchell** who is retiring for his dedicated service.

RECOGNITION OF 100 YEARS OF SERVICE

In accordance with Section 394 of the Book of Constitution of Grand Lodge, I am pleased to grant permission to the following lodges to wear gold braided regalia, effective the dates indicated:

- Lincoln Lodge No. 544, Abingdon on August 14, 2018
- General Mercer Lodge No. 548, Toronto on April 16, 2019
- Wardrope Lodge No. 555, Hamilton on August 21, 2019
- Nation Lodge No. 556, Spencerville on August 21, 2019
- Dufferin Lodge No. 570, Richmond Hill on June 18, 2020

GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

I am pleased to recommend to the Grand Masters of their respective Grand Lodges the following worthy brethren as Grand Representative of their Grand Lodge near our Grand Lodge:

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| • Manitoba | Perry McConnell |
| • Missouri | Leyland Muss |
| • U.G.L. Germany | John Paul Johnson |

ANNIVERSARIES

I have been afforded the opportunity to attend a number of anniversary celebrations this past year.

100th Anniversary

Algonquin Lodge No. 536	Sudbury ON	May 13, 2017
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150th Anniversaries

Plattsville Lodge No. 178	Innerkip ON	Oct 22, 2016
Enniskillen Lodge No. 185	Hamilton ON	Jan 21, 2017
Scotland Lodge No. 193	Oakland ON	June 24, 2017

175th Anniversaries

St. John's 20

London ON

Sept 17, 2016

CEREMONIES AND DEDICATIONS

The rededication of lodge and members were performed at:

Algonquin Lodge No. 536

Sudbury ON

May 13, 2017

The Ceremony of Dedicating Mosaic Pavement were conducted:

St. George Lodge No. 243

St. George ON

Mar 7, 2017

Arcadia Lodge No. 440

Minden ON

Apr 27, 2017

AMALGAMATIONS AND SURRENDER OF WARRANTS

Again this year, a number of lodges have found it necessary to amalgamate to maintain stability in their lodges and I participated in a number of amalgamation ceremonies:

- Victoria Lodge No. 56 and Tuscan Lodge No. 437 amalgamated to become Victoria Lodge No. 56, September 10, 2016 in Sarnia District.
- Stirling Lodge No. 69 and Franck Lodge No. 127 amalgamated to become Quinte Lodge No. 69, September 15, 2016 in Prince Edward District.
- Highgate Lodge No. 336 and Howard Lodge No. 391 amalgamated to become Hiram Lodge No. 336, Nov. 12, 2016 in Chatham District.
- Moira Lodge No. 11, Belleville Lodge No. 123 and Eureka Lodge No. 283 amalgamated to become Belleville Moira Lodge No. 11, May 6, 2017 in Prince Edward District.
- St. John's Lodge No. 104, Walsingham Lodge No. 174 and Frederick Lodge No. 217 amalgamated to become Three Great Lights Lodge No. 104 June 21, 2017 in Wilson South District.

There were also five lodges that in went into darkness in 2016-17. They will be documented in the Grand Secretary's Report.

MASONIC FAMILY EVENTS

The Grand Lodge Leaders had an interesting meeting hosted by the Scottish Rite in Hamilton. The topic of meeting was to discuss processes that would assist our Masonic bodies on how to resolve situations that might challenge administrations on occasions. It showed how to identify consensus when confronted with opportunities to improve important situations. We also had a brief gathering in Harriston in conjunction with the International Plowing Match.

International Plowing Match

Freemasonry was displayed in a very comprehensive manner at the International Plowing Match near Harriston on September 20-24. Most of the concordant bodies of Masonry had a display area to showcase their particular aspects of the Masonic family. The youth display received much interest. The committee, who was led by Bro. John Jans, was one of the best I have witnessed. The committee should be proud of their efforts. Those who spent some time visiting were quite interested in our fraternity. There was a very well attended MEET and GREET for the Grand Master at Palmerston Community Center on Sept 22nd with approximately 175 in attendance.

Royal Arch Masons Grand Chapter

It was my honour to attend Grand Chapter in St. Catharines April 6 and 7. I was impressed with the enthusiasm of those attending sessions as they aggressively carried out their business. I want to offer my congratulations to M.E. Companion Allan Donovan for the manner in which he chaired the business sessions. I was made to feel most welcome and enjoyed the fellowship of those many brethren who made an extra effort to bring me their personal greetings. R.W. Bro. Paul Todd stood in my place on Saturday as I had to attend another Masonic function that day.

Prince Hall Grand Lodge

Although I did not have the opportunity to attend their annual communication I did attend the 10th Anniversary of our mutual recognition in Ontario. This was a wonderful event that was attended by masons and their spouses. There were about 500 in attendance. We enjoyed a wonderful dinner and fellowship and the guest speaker for the celebration was M.W. Bro. Donald H. Mumby, Past Grand Master. I was also humbled when it was announced that I was named Honourary Past Grand Master Prince Hall Masons. Our continued association will be important for many years in the future. We also had the pleasure of having M.W. Bro. Hedley Lewis join us at a number of Masonic gatherings in the Ottawa area.

Supreme Council

I was unable to attend Supreme Council in Newfoundland last September because of schedule conflicts. I understand the sessions were a great success. I was in Newfoundland for Grand Lodge in October and heard very positive comments. We in Ontario are very proud of The Sovereign Grand Commander Ill. Bro. Terry McLean who has distinguished himself as a highly qualified leader in Masonry.

Imperial Shrine Sessions

I was unable to attend Imperial Shrine in Daytona this year as it is only two days before we commence Grand Lodge. Next year the Imperial Sessions will be the same week as our Grand Lodge Communication. I did attend the Installation Ceremonies of Mocha Temple in London January 6th. I also want to offer thanks to Illustrious Bros. Brian Dayman and Gary Willsie for keeping me informed and involved in their communication process.

Vimy Event Base Borden

On May 2nd a number of Masons gathered at the Armed Forces Base Borden to recognize the 100th Anniversary of the Battle of Vimy Ridge where Canadian forces played a very significant role. We were joined by approximately twenty members of the Canadian Forces including the Base Commander. On behalf of the Masons of Ontario, we presented a donation of \$25,000 (twenty-five thousand) to be directed as our contribution to a memorial to those troops who have served Canada in all conflicts. The masonic contribution was shared by the Masonic Foundation and Heritage Lodge No. 730. Our recognition of the Canadian Armed Forces, particularly those who made the supreme sacrifice to ensure the freedom we experience today, was welcomed with great respect and

thanks. It was a proud moment for me to be joined by a number of fellow masons to demonstrate the respect we have for the Canadian Armed Forces. Much thanks to R.W. Bro. Kennard Pratt for his dedication to this worthwhile project.

CONFERENCES

World Conference

The conference this year was in Madagascar and I could not attend because of a number date conflicts that I must attend in our Grand Jurisdiction. Our Grand Secretary M.W. Bro. Terence Shand did attend as a board member on the planning committee of that event. I have been informed the conference was quite interesting for visitors from other parts of the world although it is not an easy destination to travel there.

North American Conference of Grand Masters

In February, the Grand Secretary, the Deputy Grand Master and I attended this conference in Omaha Nebraska. There were 58 of 64 Grand Lodges in attendance. There were some interesting and thought provoking breakout sessions where we could not only participate but find out the opinions of other *jurisdictions*. There was ample opportunity to interact with our peers on a variety of subjects common to Lodges everywhere. There was also a considerable representation from Europe, Africa, South America, and the Middle East as observers. We also had the pleasure of having the Sovereign Grand Commander Terry McLean and Secretary General Bob Brethor join us as observers from Scottish Rite. Overall this was a good experience.

All Canada Conference

This event is held annually in Winnipeg, when all the Grand Lodges in Canada are invited to share information with other Canadian Jurisdictions. The conference this year was attended by our Deputy Grand Master and the Grand Secretary as I was attending receptions in Eastern Ontario. I have been informed that the program was interesting for those who participated. The sharing of ideas within Canada is very educational and informative. It is worth participating in this valued conference to better understand our fellow Canadian Brethren. All Grand Jurisdictions were in attendance except Prince Edward Island who have financial restraints because of a small membership.

COMMUNICATION OF OTHER GRAND LODGES

I had the opportunity of attending other jurisdictions for their Grand Lodge Communications. Barb and I were guests of the following Grand Lodges:

- Grand Lodge of Newfoundland and Labrador in October 2016 in Gander.
- Grand Loge Nationale Francais Nov 30-Dec 5, Paris, France.
- Grand Lodge of Washington D.C. Dec 9 -12, Washington DC.
- Grand Lodge of Massachusetts Dec 26-29, Boston.

The Deputy Grand Master attended Grand Lodges in West Virginia and New Brunswick. The Grand Secretary went to sessions in Ohio and Paris.

GRAND MASTER'S BANQUET

The Grand Master's Banquet at our annual Communication is always an interesting event. I am pleased to announce this year our guest speaker will be M.W. Bro. Bryant Webster, Past Grand Master of North Carolina. I have heard a couple of his thought provoking presentations and I am sure he will provide an interesting perspective on his view of Freemasonry and where the fraternity is progressing. He is a mason who has always demanded my attention when speaking at various North American Conferences I have attended. The Grand Lodge of North Carolina is one of the more forward thinking Grand Lodges I have witnessed in recent years, who is preparing for the challenges of the future. I am confident that we will enjoy M.W. Bro. Webster's thoughts and philosophies about Freemasonry in the world today.

DISCIPLINE

On April 3, 2017, pursuant to section 410.1, Brother 'A' requested a certificate of severance, which has been issued.

CONDITION OF MASONRY

As you know this past year was the third and final year of completing the gathering of information about our respective lodges and their situations. The analysis which is now gathered can be supplied to the lodges for their interest. This information should be looked upon as a possible guide to the challenges some lodges may have before them. As opposed to what some critics have hinted, is of more value to the lodges than anything Grand Lodge requires of this information. I realize there has been some opinions about the L4 forms, but be assured that analysis can be helpful to the lodges if used as a positive tool to address some issues. I have heard the critiques mention Grand Lodge just wants our financial information so they can control our finances. That can be no further from the truth. The information most lodges have now received is intended help lodges not the Grand Jurisdiction.

COMMUNICATIONS

Brethren we have made many significant improvements to the website to make it more accessible than in the past. I can assure you that such improvement will continue as time goes on. We certainly feel confident that the website will continue to be used more frequently and with greater ease as we steadily persevere through various changes we find necessary to provide improved processes to assist the membership as best we can. The brethren have shown a great deal of dedication and tolerance in continuing to allow greater access to our website. Change sometimes seems slow, but I know we will arrive at a place soon when we avail as much information as possible to all the masons desiring such service.

MASONICHIP

Recently Masonichip Foundation of Ontario received some financial backing from Grand Lodge that will assist them in the next couple of years. The funding can be used to put new technology in place to bring our equipment up to date. While I was attending the conference of Grand Masters of North America there was a report that the program is also having challenges in the USA. The

leadership has changed and a new chair is going to research the direction of their program in the future. Perhaps then we can get their thoughts and investigate their findings and offer shared information that will help both Ontario and the US.

PROSTATE HOPE

As this project is winding down at this Grand Lodge Communication, I want to thank all those who diligently promoted this Grand Lodge charity during the last four years. I speak not only for myself, but also M.W. Bro. Don Campbell, who was Grand Master when this initiative was commenced. Although I do not have direct access to information the Masonic Foundation has documented it is my hope that we can complete Prostate Hope on a happy and successful result and that we can all be proud of our participation. Our goal was to provide our chosen researchers with funding for the next ten years. This will help our collective cause and satisfy our pride and dignity by meeting the desired funds we wanted to support.

OFFICE ADMINISTRATION

I am sure by now that most masons know we have a Chief Operating Officer employed; V.W. Bro. Evan Woodhead began his duties May 1st. In recent discussions, Evan is quite happy in his new position and enjoys his experiences to date. I am sure you will find him to be helpful and efficient in his daily routine. He looks forward to serving Freemasonry in Ontario well into the future. I find his positive attitude and work ethic to be the ingredients necessary to continue the service we have become accustomed to from our Hamilton Headquarters. I hope you all join me in wishing Evan the best as we go forward together in this new aspect of Grand Lodge Administration.

GRAND LODGE RESTRUCTURING

Brethren as you all know we proceeded last year with restructuring the Board of General Purposes. At Grand Lodge this year we will complete the changes proposed a couple of years ago. It has not been without challenges but I am pleased to report the transition has gone forward successfully and I am confident we have the same cooperation this year. The Deputy Grand Master and I have agreed totally on every step of change which has made the situation easy and we share the confidence that our future direction is clear and understandable. I know that some brethren have doubted how successful this effort would be, but I can tell you, I have no fear about the path we are on. We are now in a position to move forward together, united in the common cause of being a well and worthy body of Freemasonry providing leadership and assistance to any lodge or member in Ontario.

MASONIC HOLDINGS

During the last year there have been discussions that Masonic Holdings should consider being merged with Grand Lodge into one corporation. Now that we have a Chief Operating Officer in place it is thought he would be in position to have any maintenance situations corrected or repaired. If there was a major situation the C.O.O. could request the Management Committee to assist with the possible solution through the Deputy Grand Master. I am announcing in this

address that certain regulations have to be addressed. I ask that those necessary items be addressed so the two corporations Masonic Holdings and Grand Lodge can be merged into one corporation. This would be proposed after both parties are satisfied by the necessary legal and accounting advice necessary to proceed.

300th ANNIVERSARY

As we all know, 2017 is the 300th anniversary of the Grand Lodge of England being an organized body as one Grand Lodge. During this year we have initiated certain activities to celebrate the 300 years. We have produced ten thousand coins, one side indicating the 150th celebration of the Confederation of Canada and one side indicating the 300th Anniversary of Modern Freemasonry. We have printed a tabloid or pamphlet suitable for newspaper inserts or reproducing. They can be used by lodges for Open Houses in your respective lodges or I would like consideration of placing them in the waiting rooms of medical clinics and professional offices where there is a high traffic flow of the general public. Our Grand Historian, R.W. Bro. S. Michael Jenkyns has provided releases to be sent out monthly on some aspect of Masonry. They are also suitable to be placed in local newspapers for the benefit of our friends, neighbours and relatives. We also assembled a list of 100 famous masons which can be expanded by your assistance. As you know June 3 was proclaimed Masons day and we asked that every lodge in Ontario convene a masonic event in their respective lodge buildings breakfast, lunches, dinners and Open Houses in hopes of demonstrating to the public our lodge buildings and our philosophies. It has been reported that this day was an overwhelming success in many areas of the province. In some situations the lodges were open but promotion could be improved whereas a number of lodges had great success with people enjoying refreshments and asking questions related to our Craft. Those who had a successful day are interested in having an annual event. Also on the Monday July 17 there will be an 18th century dinner at the Royal York demonstrated by the Wellington District 18th century degree team just it was in the 1700s. This will be very entertaining for those who can attend. I want thank R.W. Bros. Ron Findlater and Michael Jenkyns for their dedication and contribution to the 300th celebration.

INTERESTING INFORMATION

As I mentioned last year, there was a possibility of two new lodges in our Grand Jurisdiction. I can now tell you that we instituted them in late 2016, Templum Lucis Lodge in Stratford and Goodfellows Lodge in Parry Sound. Templum Lucis is an Observance Lodge with members from various communities in South Western Ontario. It came into reality when a group of masons showed their interest in forming a lodge of Strict Observance. My congratulations to those who brought the interested brethren together, which lead to the institution of Templum Lucis. Goodfellows Lodge in Parry Sound is a welcome situation after an absence of a number of years. They have to date approximately 85-90 members. I have been in discussion with a many of their membership over the last number of months and they are excited about masonry. Much thanks to those brethren who steadfastly worked diligently to restore the presence of Masonry in Parry Sound. Special mention to W. Bro. Paul Goodfellow for his perseverance to see Masonry in Parry Sound evident again. Their Formal Consecrations will take place

sometime in the next Masonic year. We wish them well in these exciting new endeavors.

FUTURE THOUGHTS FOR THE MASONS OF ONTARIO

Brethren I am going to share some thoughts I have formulated during my terms as Deputy Grand Master and Grand Master that I believe would assist Grand Lodge in future years. Although there is no requirement for those who follow me to consider possible changes I want to let it be known they may be alternatives to our current operations and administration.

Past Masters Course: Over a number of years now we have discussed the benefit the Past Masters Course as a requirement to be eligible to let ones name stand for DDGM and Grand Registrar. It is my opinion that the Past Masters Course as we know it has run its time. Such a course should be constitutionally based and deals with the primary responsibilities of the DDGM and Grand Registrar as stated in Sections 96 to 109 inclusive and section 114 of the Book of Constitution. It would be part of an expanded DDGM Orientation.

The Past Masters Course stated as a qualification for eligibility to let your name stand as a candidate for the Board of General Purposes should be revisited as to its value and possibly amended if continued.

DDGM Term: Over the years there has been difficulty attracting candidates for DDGM. Consideration could be given that the DDGM serve a two year term. The term can be concurrent with that of the Deputy Grand Master and Grand Master creating more of team like atmosphere. There may also be some masons who might consider the office knowing who the DGM and GM are by previous personal friendships. Many of you might think I am dreaming but after you think about it I believe it has a lot of merit in my opinion. I am just saying it would be worth a look.

Time between degrees: As many of you are aware there is a resolution to constitute a change for a new member to wait four months between degrees. It is believed to be controversial in some parts of our jurisdiction. I think having sometime between degrees allows the lodge and the mentor to better educate candidates rather than just learn the memory work. Understanding can extend the longevity of membership in our fraternity. What we often do is three degrees in four months now learn some ritual and oh you can start through the chairs immediately and learn more. The new member says I joined to enjoy new friends, fellowship and learn the principles and philosophies of Freemasonry and all I have done so far is got pressured into learning more memory work. Remember in the case of transient brethren such Armed Forces and police officers dispensation can be requested in accordance to Section 382 of the Constitution.

Forward Preparation: At some point in the near future, Grand Lodge should consider striking an adhoc committee to study the current structure of districts looking forward to the next twenty years. Many lodges are struggling for a variety of reasons. As time goes on we must prepare for the future of Masonry in Ontario. I realize it may not be a popular subject to change District Boundaries but we have to anticipate reality for those who follow us.

Consolidation: With succession planning in mind, now that Grand Lodge has a Chief Operating Officer in place, I recommend consideration be given to integrating the Masonic Foundation Staff with Grand Lodge staff by cross training so staff could be useful in more than one work scenario. It may also include Royal Arch who also has a presence in our headquarters if they are interested. It may not seem important now but efficiency is important and what business has not addressed a similar experience in their working career. Let me be very clear this relates to staff only and not a power play to take over the Foundation.

Brethren these thoughts are strictly my own brainstorming about preparing for the Masons of tomorrow. We can ignore it or address it. I am just telling you my thoughts about our future. I hope you think about it as well. It might not be feasible but these are the situations in the state of Masonry which we should investigate to insure the best path taken is the proper direction.

APPRECIATIONS

Past Grand Masters

I have enjoyed meeting with the Past Grand Masters to keep them informed of specific situations that are of interest to them, I know that their experience is a valuable tool that can assist the Grand Master in certain aspects of Masonry that come to the Grand Master for resolution from time to time. These brethren are a resource not often called upon but ready to suggest possible remedies. I also cherish their friendship at any time we might be together. I do want to make special mention of M.W. Bro. Don Mumby who played a significant role chairing a committee to institute criteria for the position of Chief Operating Officer.

I also want to mention that our entire Grand Lodge membership want to wish M.W. Bros. William R. Pellow and C. Edwin Drew our thoughts and prayers. They both suffered some health challenges this year and we wish them much comfort in the future.

The masons of Ontario owe a great deal of gratitude to our Past Grand Masters for the time and wisdom they have shared with us. Their leadership is valued, so Freemasonry in this Grand Jurisdiction can progress to a prosperous future.

Custodian of the Work

Once again I have experienced the diligence and expertise of our Custodian. M.W. Bro. Dowling commits many hours to masonry that is never realized by the majority of our membership. He replies to questions submitted by many lodges that pertain to protocol and procedures. Many lodges ask for advice on situations and local traditions that contradict the Book of Constitution. It takes a lot of time to research many of these queries. We thank M.W. Bro. Dowling for his continued effort protecting our ritual.

The Lodge of Instruction was quite visible again this year as they toured a number of evenings last October and November. We thank the Custodian and the Lodge of Instruction team for informing us about proper etiquette and directing

all masons to preserve the fundamental principles that we practice properly in our respective lodges.

Deputy Grand Master

Brethren for the second year of our two year term I want share with you the wonderful working relationship I enjoyed with our Deputy Grand Master. R.W. Bro. Paul Todd is a longtime friend and confidant before we assumed the positions we currently hold. We have worked diligently united in the direction we believe Masonry in Ontario must pursue. Paul as we all know has gained considerable experience during his many years serving on the Board of General Purposes and the Management Committee. This knowledge has served him well to be Chairman of the Board of General Purposes and the Management Committee. I am always impressed with his personal dedication of travelling extensively throughout of Jurisdiction. His geographic location presents a greater challenge to visitation requests. This just proves his respect and love of Masonry. Our personal friendship has certainly assisted the process of working together united to the various causes we must deal with collectively. I wish him the very best in his next step in masonry and I proclaim my unconditional support.

District Deputy Grand Masters

As I have mentioned previously in other reports working DDGMs is always an interesting aspect of being Deputy Grand Master or Grand Master because in some instances you not as familiar with these individuals as may be possible. I have been quite fortunate to have previously known most of those who served as DDGM this past year which eases the situation of familiarizing ourselves. I can tell you positively these brothers give generously of their time and in turn they find the experience of serving DDGM to be an enjoyable and rewarding exercise in their path of life. I am at times difficult to work with as some of my humour is difficult to read. I can announce today that we have enjoyed some very memorable experiences during the last year. I submit to these brethren that our challenges have for the most part been resolved amicably and our continued friendship has been demonstrated on many occasions. Brethren I am pleased to have had the opportunity to serve our Grand Lodge with you. Your sincerity and respect for Freemasonry is recognized and respected.

Members of the Board

In the years I have been on the Board, Deputy Grand Master and Grand Master I have had the great opportunity of working with some very interesting masons. A number of us started out in a Grand Lodge capacity as DDGMs in 1998. There have been many recommendations made to the Grand Master that have set the future direction of Grand Lodge. My experience in Freemasonry has often been a product of the knowledge shared by other Board members and their broad scope of Freemasonry. I can sincerely tell you that those who I have served with, whether it near twenty years or a couple of years, have made an impression on my mind as to the manner that different situations could be amended or corrected. These masons are my friends and being in their company can be an educated example of Masonry working collectively to remedy almost any situation. It can often be interesting how their wisdom and expertise is demonstrated through their particular logic and good humour. The Board

members I have worked with will always hold a special place in my masonic experiences.

As time goes on some find it is time to change their direction in life and they leave the board to pursue other venues in life's path. This year a number of those members are leaving the board and I want recognize them and thank them for their service to our Grand Jurisdiction. R.W. Bros. Gareth Taylor, Ron Findlater, William Atkinson Sr., Keith Jones, John Forster and George Mitchell for a wide variety of reasons are not going to continue on the board. These brethren have played an important role for all masons in Ontario over their years of dedicated service. I do want make special mention of R.W. Bro. Charlie Reid who passed to the Grand Lodge Above earlier this year. He was a friend and we travelled many miles together. We all miss him dearly.

Elected Grand Lodge Officers

R.W. Bro. Mahar Eid Grand, Senior Warden and R.W. Bro. Adriaan de Vries, Grand Junior Warden you have travelled extensively to most parts of the Province and performed your respective duties in a manner we as masons are very proud. Your gift of time and effort from your private life is always appreciated. R.W. Bro. Ted Evans you have always been available when needed and you have demonstrated a high quality of capabilities when performing ritual. We have laughed and cried together in various circumstances but always enjoying the company of each other. All the best in the future endeavours.

Grand Chaplain

R.W. Bro. David Leggatt you are a well-known Grand Chaplain who has travelled extensively across this Grand Jurisdiction. You display a positive and friendly attitude wherever you went. I am so pleased that he accepted my request to further serve Masonry. You spent a lot of time on the roads of this province and visited the Grand Lodge of Manitoba just because the opportunity was convenient for you. Your dedication has been noticed. I know Masonry is valued aspect of your retired life and Wiarton is not the easiest point from which to travel but you did it enthusiastically without a worried thought.

Grand Director of Ceremonies and Assistant Grand Director of Ceremonies

R.W. Bro. Paul Johnson, we have travelled many miles together not only this year but over many years of friendship. Your duties performed this year has been a great experience for Barb and I to have you and Paula in our company. You have been efficient not just in travel but making sure the arrangements at various functions were in place. Your vast experience in travel and hospitality in regular employment has been a significant asset to this Masonic year. Our comradery will always be remembered as a continuing friendship.

V.W. Bro. Bill Rogers, you and Judy have served the Masons of Ontario well. Your willingness to travel when the Grand Director was not available and perform his duties has been a great experience. We were involved in another organization about forty years ago and we still enjoy being together. You and Judy have been excellent ambassadors for the Masonic family of Ontario.

Grand Secretary

M.W. Bro. Terence Shand you have continued to serve our Grand Jurisdiction with distinction after fifteen years of service. Your experience and continued interest in Freemasonry is respected throughout Ontario. M.W. Bro. Shand has a vast knowledge of our constitution and is quite adept at explaining any questions directed to him by lodges, districts or members. As Grand Master there have been a number times where the Grand Secretary has shared his knowledge with me so that Grand Lodge is consistent throughout the province when ruling on that variety of queries that require answers to questions that are unique in that they are not always asked in the same manner. The responses have to be consistent with the constitution and those precedents have been established many times in the past. I also know that his experience is well respected by his peers both at the All Canada conference as well as the Grand Secretaries of North America's association. He has provided me with wise counsel whenever asked. The Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario has often benefitted from his experience and knowledge of our constitution.

I would be remiss if I did not mention how fortunate we are to have the quality of staff we are blessed with at Grand Lodge office. I hear many comments during my travels about how helpful and courteous the Grand Lodge staff deals with the various inquiries and questions that are directed to them each day. We should all be proud of our Grand Lodge office personnel and thank them at every opportunity for the manner in which they demonstrate a positive image that is important to masons across Ontario. These people are our front line staff and the impression they leave on our members is the image of how Grand Lodge is viewed by our clientele being mostly ourselves. THANK YOU LADIES.

LAST WORDS

I would also be remiss if I didn't say a few words about the lodges I have the privilege of membership; the support of those lodges and their respective districts have a special place in my heart. Their friendship and encouragement has been inspiring. It will always be noted in my mind that I did not forget my Masonic Heritage. Perhaps the days ahead will allow me to spend more time to participate in our future endeavors.

My final thoughts are for my family. Although my daughters live in Ottawa and Brisbane Australia we don't see them often and with the activity of last four years visitation has not been available. Thank God for technology, we do keep in close contact and they have been very understanding to my situation. Although it is difficult to answer a young girl on the other side of the world who asks when are you coming to our house Papa. The real trooper is Barb who has supported me for forty eight years because the word "NO" quite simply is not part of my vocabulary. We have stood side by side through many experiences in life's path and Barb has always been there to worry and fret over details that I honestly don't attend to at times. She is a pillar not only to our family but also to the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

The brethren of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario have afforded me the opportunity to serve you as Grand Master. I am ever thankful.

I can assure you I did not show any prejudice in my actions but acted upon the information afforded me in the best interest of the Grand Lodge of Ontario.

Be proud of who you are; Be proud of what you do; Be proud to be a Mason.

John C. Green
Grand Master

APPENDIX "A" ITINERARY

August 2016

2-Aug-16	DDGM Regional Meeting	London
3-Aug-16	DDGM Regional Meeting	Hamilton
4-Aug-16	DDGM Regional Meeting	Huntsville
5-Aug-16	DDGM Regional Meeting	Napanee
18-Aug-16	Conclave	Toronto
20-Aug-16	GL Board Meeting	Drayton

September 2016

6-Sept-16	Present Regalia	Wingham
8-Sept-16	Town Hall	Mississauga
10-Sept-16	Amalgamation Tuscan Victoria	Sarnia
13-Sept-16	Alma Corn Roast	Cambridge
15-Sept-16	Sterling Franck Amalgamation	Frankford
20-Sept-16	IPM Opening	Harriston
22-Sept-16	GL Leaders Meeting	Harriston
22-Sept-16	IPM Meet and Greet	Palmerston
27-Sept-16	Fraternal Ancient Landmarks	Hamilton

October 2016

1-Oct-16	Town Hall Meeting	Oshawa
1-Oct-16	Victoria Reception	Bobcaygeon
4-Oct-16	2-60 year pins Palmer	Fort Erie
11-Oct-16	Toronto Lodge of Perfection	Toronto
12-Oct-16	Audit & Finance	Toronto
12-Oct-16	GM Meritorious Award Bud Funnell	Toronto
13-16-Oct-16	Grand Lodge NFLD & Labrador	Gander
17-Oct-16	Management Meeting	Hamilton
17-Oct-16	GM Meritorious Award David Dainard	Niagara Falls
22-Oct-16	Grand Masters Reception	Woodstock
28-Oct-16	GM North Huron Reception	Kincardine
29-Oct-16	GM Sarnia Reception	Wyoming

November 2016

1-Nov-16	Temple Lodge	Ottawa
5-Nov-16	Brant GM Reception	Brantford
14-Nov-16	4 60 year pins Waverley Lodge	Guelph
16-Nov-16	Management Meeting	Hamilton
18-20-Nov-16	Algoma GM Reception	Thunder Bay
26-Nov-16	William Mercer Wilson Jack Yourt	Ingleside

December 2016

1-5-Dec-16	Grande Loge Nationale Français	Paris
9-11-Dec-16	Grand Lodge Washington DC	Washington
14-Dec-16	Doug Madill 60 year pin	Dunneville
20-Dec-16	Eat & Argue	Toronto
26-28-Dec-16	Grand Lodge Massachusetts	Boston

January 2017

7-Jan-17	DDGM Mid-Term Meeting	Ajax
10-Jan-17	Management Meeting	Hamilton
17-Jan-17	Conestogo Installation	Drayton
21-Jan-17	Grand Lodge Board Meeting	Hamilton
21-Jan-17	Enniskillen No. 185 150th Anniversary	Hamilton
23-Jan-17	60 year pin Harry Cooper	Sarnia
28-Jan-17	Robbie Burns Luncheon	Waterloo

February 2017

9-Feb-17	Jack Cumming 50 year pin	Paisley
18-22-Feb-17	N. American Conf. of Grand Masters	Omaha

March 2017

1-Mar-17	Management Meeting	Hamilton
3-Mar-17	S. Huron GM Reception	Mitchell
4-Mar-17	Sarnia Ladies Night	Wyoming
6-8-Mar-17	Crieff Retreat	Crieff
7-Mar-17	Dedicate Mosaic Pavement	St. George
9-10-Mar-17	Northeast Shrine	Ottawa
15-Mar-17	Past Grand Masters Meeting	Hamilton
16-Mar-17	60 year pin Don Cousins	St. Thomas
18-Mar-17	Niagara Reception	St. Catharines
26-Mar-17	Wellington Reception	Drayton
26-Mar-17	Sankey Lecture	St. Catharines
30-Mar-17	Toronto York Reception	Toronto

April 2017

1-Apr 17	Essex County Reception	Windsor
4-Apr-17	Fraternal Visit	Bracebridge
6-7-Apr-17	Royal Arch Communication	St. Catharines
7-Apr-17	London Reception	London
10-Apr-17	Grey District Reception	Arthur
13-Apr-17	60 year pin Keith Hart	Wyoming
21-Apr-17	Georgian Reception	Orillia
22-Apr-17	Bruce Reception	Port Elgin
23-Apr-17	Waterloo-Wellington Divine Service	Kitchener
25-Apr-17	Management Meeting	Hamilton
25-Apr-17	60 year pin Jim Richardson	Harriston
26-Apr-17	Audit & Finance Meeting	Hamilton
27-Apr-17	Dedicate Mosaic Pavement	Minden
29-Apr-17	Ottawa Reception	Pembroke

May 2017

4-May-17	Wild Game Dinner	Erin
5-May-17	St. Lawrence Reception	Smith Falls
6-May-17	Belleville Moira Amalgamation	Belleville
6-May-17	Prince Edward Reception	Belleville
12-May-17	Algoma East Reception	Sault Ste. Marie

13-May-17	Sudbury Manitoulin Reception	Sudbury
16-19-May-17	Eastern Tour	Ottawa
25-May-17	University Installation	Toronto
26-28-May-17	Western Seminars & Reception	Kenora
31-May-17	Audit & Finance Meeting	Hamilton

June 2017

1-June-17	Aldworth Sausage	Paisley
6-June-17	Management Meeting	Hamilton
8-June-17	Oak Branch Lodge	Innerkip
14-June-17	Doric Lodge Consecration of new building	Komoka
21-June-17	Three Great Pillars Amalgamation	Delhi
22-June-17	60 year pin Bob Oswald	Chesley
24-June-17	150 th Anniversary Scotland Lodge	Brantford
26-June-17	Hanover Steak Fry	Hanover
27-June-17	Harriston Installation	Harriston

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APPOINTMENT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

At the conclusion of the Address, it was moved by M.W. Bro. Donald H. Mumby, seconded by M.W. Bro. R. E. Groshaw and carried: That a committee composed of all the Past Grand Masters present consider and report to Grand Lodge on the Grand Master's Address.

RECEPTION OF GRAND REPRESENTATIVES

As the Grand Secretary called the roll of Grand Representatives of their Grand Lodges, those who were present stood and were welcomed by the Grand Master. Grand Honours were given under the direction of the M.W. Bro. Donald H. Mumby.

MERITORIOUS SERVICE AWARDS

R.W. Bro. H. Edward Standish, and R.W. Bro. William J. L. Larry Weeks, was presented in the East by the Grand Director of Ceremonies to receive at the hand of M.W. Bro. John C. Green the Meritorious Service Award as a tribute to their exceptional devotion, loyalty and zeal in both Masonic and community circles.

*A brief Memorial Service was conducted by
R.W. Bro. J. David Leggatt Grand Chaplain*

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Are inscribed and fraternally dedicated

in memory of

Our Departed Brethren

R.W. BRO. JASON BRANDON ASHLEY
District Deputy Grand Master - 2016

Born July 10, 1973

Died May 2, 2017

Initiated Cochrane Lodge No. 530, Cochrane, May 11, 1995

Affiliated Algonquin Lodge No. 536, Sudbury, 2009; W.M. 2012

R.W. BRO. BILL BALUK
District Deputy Grand Master - 1985

Died June 29, 2017

Initiated St. John's Lodge No. 17, Cobourg, September 13, 1955; W.M. 1963

Affiliated Colborne Lodge No. 91, Colborne, 1980; W.M. 1984

R.W. BRO. JOHAN MARIA BOERSMA
Grand Senior Warden - 1988

Born March 11, 1925, Netherlands

Died October 31, 2016

Initiated Zetland-Wilson Lodge No. 86, Toronto, March 7, 1972

Affiliated Ionic Lodge No. 25, Toronto, 2000; W.M. 2001, 2002

R.W. BRO. ALLAN ELGAR BROADLEY
District Deputy Grand Master - 1967

Born February 22, 1925, Gravenhurst

Died August 16, 2017

Initiated Wilson Lodge No. 113, Waterford, March 8, 1950; W.M. 1956

Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1977

R.W. BRO. JOHN FREDERICK BUTSON
District Deputy Grand Master - 1989

Born July 25, 1928, Staffa

Died November 5, 2016

Initiated Britannia Lodge No. 170, Seaforth, November 4, 1968; W.M. 1977

R.W. BRO. REGINALD ARTHUR COOMBES
Grand Secretary - 1977 (Nova Scotia)

Born 1930, Halifax, Nova Scotia

Died June 15, 2016

Initiated Composite Lodge No. 105, Halifax, March 26, 1963

Affiliated Acacia Lodge No. 561, Ottawa, 1965

R.W. BRO. VICTOR VARCOE CORMACK
Grand Registrar - 1997

Born May 12, 1929

Died July 11, 2017

Initiated Algonquin Lodge No. 434, Emsdale, November 10, 1987; W.M. 1994

Affiliated Unity Lodge No. 376, Huntsville, 1998

Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1995; W.M. 2005

R.W. BRO. LORIE DONALD DAVIS
District Deputy Grand Master - 1986

Born November 8, 1931, Hanover
Died January 3, 2017
Initiated Hanover Lodge No. 432, Hanover, April 29, 1968; W.M. 1974
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1986

R.W. BRO. CYRIL NOEL DAVISON
District Deputy Grand Master - 1973

Died January 7, 2017
Initiated Astra Lodge No. 682, Weston, October 13, 1960; W.M. 1971
Astra Lodge No. 682 amal. with Mt. Dennis Lodge No. 599 in 2007, now known as Astra -
Mt. Dennis Lodge No. 599

R.W. BRO. WALTER DRANE
Grand Junior Warden - 2013

Born December 25, 1936, Toronto
Died November 6, 2016
Initiated West Hill Lodge No. 670, Toronto, January 6, 1982; W.M. 2008
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 2006

R.W. BRO. FRANK GERALD DUNN
Grand Junior Warden - 1987

Born April 16, 1928
Died February 8, 2017
Initiated Credit Lodge No. 219, Georgetown, March 25, 1964
Affiliated Lake Shore Lodge No. 645, Toronto, 1965; W.M. 1978
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1979; W.M. 1991
Affiliated Runnymede Lodge No. 619, Toronto, 1984
Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2000

R.W. BRO. WILFRED ELGIN FORTH
District Deputy Grand Master - 1990

Born October 14, 1925
Died January 25, 2017
Initiated Waterdown Lodge No. 357, Waterdown, May 21, 1968; W.M. 1980
Affiliated Centennial Lodge No. 679, Hamilton 1991

R.W. BRO. RAYMOND LLOYD GAMBLE
District Deputy Grand Master - 1976

Born August 17, 1926, Lyndhurst
Died January 6, 2017
Initiated Simpson Lodge No. 157, Newboro, September 2, 1952; W.M. 1962

R.W. BRO. BRUCE THORNTON GOFF
District Deputy Grand Master - 1971

Born 1925, Scarborough
Died August 20, 2017
Initiated Scarboro Lodge No. 653, Toronto, October 7, 1957; W.M. 1967

R.W. BRO. HAROLD DOUGLAS GOOD
District Deputy Grand Master - 2000

Born April 17, 1947, Portland
Died March 10, 2017
Initiated Temple Lodge No. 665, Ottawa, February 1, 1977; W.M. 1986
Affiliated Simpson Lodge No. 157, Newboro, 1997
Affiliated Luxor Daylight Lodge No. 741, Ottawa, 2000
Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Cambridge, 2001

R.W. BRO. WILLIAM WARREN HOLDEN
District Deputy Grand Master - 2004

Born May 1, 1947

Died June 9, 2017

Initiated Lakeshore Lodge No. 645, Toronto, March 7, 1988; W.M. 1998, 2002, 2014

Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 2000

Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2000

Affiliated Lorne Lodge No. 375, Omemee, 2005; W.M. 2012

Affiliated Anniversary Lodge No. 733, Etobicoke, 2006; W.M. 2009

Affiliated Mount Moriah Lodge No. 727, Brampton, 2014

Affiliated Anthony Sayer Lodge No. 640, Etobicoke, 2016

R.W. BRO. RICHARD BURTON HOLDER
District Deputy Grand Master - 2003

Died December 24, 2016

Initiated Blair Lodge No. 314, Palmerston, February 27, 1969; W.M. 1975

R.W. BRO. HAROLD ALVIN HOPKINS
District Deputy Grand Master - 1973

Born May 3, 1923, Mount Forest

Died March 29, 2017

Initiated Conestoga Lodge No. 295, Drayton, January 20, 1948

Affiliated Blackwood Lodge No. 311, Maple, 1951; W.M. 1962

Affiliated Bridgewood Lodge No. 713, Etobicoke, 1964

Affiliated Wellington Square Lodge No. 725, Burlington, 1984

R.W. BRO. ROBERT JOHN KEITH
District Deputy Grand Master - 1983

Born 1931

Died January 10, 2017

Initiated Prince of Wales Lodge No. 171, Iona Station, October 8, 1953; W.M. 1963

R.W. BRO. GERALD KILEEG
District Deputy Grand Master - 1996

Born June 14, 1925, London

Died December 27, 2016

Initiated Northgate Lodge No. 591, Pickering, October 26, 1972; W.M. 1979, 1993

Affiliated Huronia Lodge No. 348, Midland, 2008

Affiliated Dufferin Lodge No. 570, Thornhill, 2010

R.W. BRO. NORMAN LEWIS LANSDELL
District Deputy Grand Master - 1969

Died December 11, 2016

Initiated Nilestown Lodge No. 345, Nilestown, March 11, 1947; W.M. 1958

Affiliated Centennial Lodge No. 684, London, 1970

Affiliated London Daylight Lodge No. 735, London, 1982

R.W. BRO. EDGAR WARREN LAY
District Deputy Grand Master - 1994

Born May 4, 1929

Died April 17, 2017

Initiated Ivy Lodge No. 115, Beamsville, February 2, 1954; W.M. 1973

Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1978

Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2000

Affiliated Brock Daylight Lodge No. 745, St. Catharines, 2002

R.W. BRO. THOMAS L. LLOYD
District Deputy Grand Master - 1993

Born July 30, 1926, Wellington

Died January 25, 2017

Initiated Star-in-the-East Lodge No. 164, Picton, January 13, 1961; W.M. 1969

Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2000

R.W. BRO. WINSTON LENNOX LODGE
District Deputy Grand Master - 2000

Born September 1, 1936

Died June 20, 2017

Initiated Northern Light Lodge No. 93, Kincardine, June 7, 1978

Affiliated Bruce Lodge No. 341, Tiverton, 1984; W.M. 1987, 1998

R.W. BRO. HUGH MACDOUGALL
District Deputy Grand Master - 1987

Born February 6, 1927, Scotland

Died August 17, 2017

Initiated Liberty Lodge No. 419, Sarnia, December 15, 1958; W.M. 1967

R.W. BRO. ELROY JOHN MACKINNON
District Deputy Grand Master - 2007

Born March 6, 1938, Paisley

Died October 31, 2016

Initiated Doric Lodge No. 424, Ajax, October 17, 1991; W.M. 2000

Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2000

Affiliated Friendship Lodge No. 729, Whitby, 2005; W.M. 2010

Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 2008

R.W. BRO. KENNETH BRUCE MACLEAN
District Deputy Grand Master - 1992

Born 1943

Died August 25, 2017

Initiated Aldworth Lodge No. 235, Paisley, April 24, 1970; W.M. 1980

Affiliated Port Elgin Lodge No. 429, Port Elgin, 2010

R.W. BRO. ROBERT EARL MCLEAN
District Deputy Grand Master - 1984

Died August 15, 2017

Initiated Elliot Lake Lodge No. 698, Elliot Lake, March 8, 1978; W.M. 1983

R.W. BRO. WILLIAM CLAYTON MCNUTT
District Deputy Grand Master - 1982

Born May 17, 1927

Died April 25, 2017

Initiated North Bay Lodge No. 617, North Bay, October 24, 1969; W.M. 1977

R.W. BRO. CARL MAURICE MILLER
Grand Junior Warden - 1990

Born 1930, Clairmont

Died June 11, 2017

Initiated Parkwood Lodge No. 695, Oshawa, January 11, 1973; W.M. 1980

Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1991; W.M. 2002

Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2000

R.W. BRO. DOUGLAS BRUCE MINERS
District Deputy Grand Master - 2003

Born 1954, Elmville
Died January 6, 2017
Initiated Lebanon Forest Lodge No. 133, Exeter, June 15, 1981; W.M. 1988, 1989

R.W. BRO. LLOYD MILTON MIREE
District Deputy Grand Master - 2000

Born May 29, 1931
Died December 16, 2016
Initiated Golden Rule Lodge No. 126, Peterborough, June 11, 1956
Affiliated St. Johns Lodge No. 68, Ingersoll, 1986; W.M. 1996, 1997, 1998, 2004
Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2000

R.W. BRO. JAMES MURRAY NAPIER
District Deputy Grand Master - 1977

Born February 27, 1929, Scotland
Died December 15, 2016
Initiated Windsor Lodge No. 403, Windsor, October 9, 1953; W.M. 1967
Affiliated Border Cities Lodge No. 554, Windsor, 1995; W.M. 1996, 1997
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1981

R.W. BRO. ARTHUR FREDRICK PEARSON
Grand Junior Warden - 1988

Born 1926, Owen Sound
Died January 9, 2017
Initiated Temple Lodge No. 690, Waterloo, March 15, 1967; W.M. 1976, 1982

R.W. BRO. JAMES PIRIE
District Deputy Grand Master - 2009

Born 1932, Scotland
Died October 11, 2016
Initiated St. James Lodge No. 123, Scotland
Affiliated Cornerstone Lodge No. 679, Manitoba
Affiliated St. George's Lodge No. 41, Kingsville, 1999; W.M. 2002, 2003, 2004
Affiliated King Edward Lodge No. 488, Harrow, 2006

R.W. BRO. CHARLES H. M. REID
District Deputy Grand Master - 1986

Born May 12, 1936
Died March 19, 2017
Initiated Temple Lodge No. 525, Toronto, June 12, 1958; W.M. 1967, 1977, 1989, 1983
Affiliated Chinguacousy Lodge No. 738, Brampton 1987
Affiliated Kilwinning Lodge No. 565, Toronto 1992; W.M. 1997, 1998
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1998; W.M. 2011
Affiliated Runnymede Lodge No. 619, Toronto, 2000; W.M. 2001
Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2000
Affiliated Anniversary Lodge No. 733, Etobicoke, 2006

R.W. BRO. HUNTER REID
Grand Senior Warden - 1982

Born April 15, 1924, Riceville
Died May 2, 2017
Initiated Plantagenet Lodge No. 186, Riceville, January 10, 1949; W.M. 1953
Affiliated Temple Lodge No. 665, Ottawa, 1958

R.W. BRO. ROBERT ROMBERG
District Deputy Grand Master - 2013

Born June 17, 1941
Died August 24, 2017
Initiated Unity Lodge No. 376, Huntsville, September 13, 1978; W.M. 2000, 2005
Affiliated Muskoka Lodge No. 360, Bracebridge, 2014

R.W. BRO. KLAAS SCHOENMAKER
District Deputy Grand Master - 1993

Born March 14, 1930, Netherlands
Died October 30, 2016
Initiated Orono Lodge No. 325, Orono, November 11, 1965; W.M. 1974
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1984

R.W. BRO. DONALD WARREN SLATER
District Deputy Grand Master - 2003

Born September 5, 1940, London
Died March 10, 2017
Initiated St. John's Lodge No. 209a, London, January 14, 1983; W.M. 1990
Affiliated Centennial Lodge No. 684, London, 1991
Affiliated St. Johns Lodge No. 81, Mt. Brydges, 1992; W.M. 2000
Affiliated Strict Observance Lodge No. 27, Stoney Creek, 1997
Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2000
Affiliated Ashlar Lodge No. 610, London, 2000
Affiliated Arcadia Lodge No. 440, Minden, 2001

R.W. BRO. JAMES H. STYLES
District Deputy Grand Master - 1989

Born 1924, Morrisburg
Died March 27, 2017
Initiated Friendly Brothers Lodge No. 143, Iroquois, November 13, 1957; W.M. 1967, 1971

R.W. BRO. RONALD GEORGE THEYERS
District Deputy Grand Master - 1989

Born 1931
Died July 15, 2017
Initiated Corinthian Lodge No. 330, London, April 2, 1957
Affiliated North Bay Lodge No. 617, North Bay, 1959
Affiliated Golden Beaver Lodge No. 528, Timmins, 1975; W.M. 1984
Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2000

R.W. BRO. ROBERT ANDREW TRUAN
District Deputy Grand Master - 1998

Born June 27, 1927
Died January 15, 2017
Initiated Trinity Lodge No. 521, Windsor, January 20, 1964; W.M. 1972, 1992
Affiliated Thistle Lodge No. 34, Amherstburg, 2001
Affiliated Dominion Lodge No. 598, Windsor, 1999
Affiliated Border Cities Lodge No. 554, Windsor, 2001

R.W. BRO. GLEN WEBB
District Deputy Grand Master - 2003

Born June 17, 1938
Died August 10, 2017
Initiated Orillia Lodge No. 192, Orillia, January 4, 1988; W.M. 1995 1996
Affiliated Moffat Lodge No. 399, London, 2009

V.W. BRO. GLEN ERNEST ASHMAN

Assistant Grand Director of Ceremonies - 2008

Born April 26, 1936

Died April 20, 2017

Initiated King Solomon's Lodge No. 43, Woodstock, December 1, 1970; W.M. 1978

V.W. BRO. JOHN ROBERT ATKINS

Grand Steward - 1961

Born March 2, 1914, London, Ontario

Died May 4, 2017

Initiated St. John's Lodge No. 209a, London, February 25, 1944; W.M. 1951

V.W. BRO. JOSEPH WAYNE BARRIO

Grand Standard Bearer - 2009

Born June 2, 1943

Died February 13, 2017

Initiated Lyn Lodge No. 416, Lyn, March 3, 1992; W.M. 1998, 2003

Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2000

V.W. BRO. ARTHUR BEASLEY

Grand Steward - 2009

Born December 31, 1940

Died July 4, 2017

Initiated Tuscan Lodge No. 437, Sarnia, June 1, 1988; W.M. 1994

Affiliated Liberty Lodge No. 419, Sarnia, 2010

Affiliated Victoria Lodge No. 56, Sarnia, 2016

V.W. BRO. MAX MAWDSLEY BEAUMONT

Assistant Grand Chaplain - 2006

Born 1927, Bracebridge

Died August 17, 2017

Initiated Muskoka Lodge No. 360, Bracebridge, March 3, 1959; W.M. 1993

V.W. BRO. ROBERT STANLEY BELL

Grand Steward - 1997

Born January 9, 1931, Cardinal

Died September 7, 2017

Initiated St. James Lodge No. 74, South Augusta, March 23, 1959; W.M. 1970, 2008

V.W. BRO. KEAS CASPER BOONE

Grand Steward - 1998

Born January 1, 1938, Holland

Died January 17, 2017

Initiated St. Pauls Lodge No. 601, Sarnia, March 18, 1961

Affiliated Moore Lodge No. 294, Sarnia, 1980; W.M. 1982, 2006, 2010, 2014

V.W. BRO. JOHN RUSSELL BRADLEY

Grand Steward - 1985

Born April 15, 1928

Died December 6, 2016

Initiated Mimico Lodge No. 369, Etobicoke, September 12, 1961; W.M. 1969

V.W. BRO. FLOYD LAVERNE BRANSTON
Grand Steward - 1991

Born May 21, 1938
Died July 20, 2017
Initiated Grantham Lodge No. 697, St. Catharines, February 28, 1966
Affiliated Ivy Lodge No. 115, Beamsville, 1969
Affiliated Cambridge Lodge No. 728, Cambridge, 1984; W.M. 1984
Affiliated Heritiage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1989
Affiliated Wilmot Lodge No. 318, Baden, 1998
Affiliated New Light Lodge No. 744, Cambridge, 2001

V.W. BRO. EDMUND MARSHALL BUCK
Grand Steward - 1993

Born 1943, Nexburg
Died March 23, 2017
Initiated St. Andrew's Lodge no. 497, Sharbot Lake, November 19, 1971; W.M. 1982, 1987

V.W. BRO. WILMOT GRIMSHAW CLAYTON
Grand Steward - 1998

Born April 18, 1931
Died November 18, 2016
Initiated Century Lodge No. 457, Merlin, February 1, 1955
Affiliated Seven Start Lodge No. 285, Alliston, 1964; W.M. 1978
Affiliated Zeta-Shamrock Lodge No. 410, Toronto, 1999

V.W. BRO. EDGAR DWIGHT CONNELL
Grand Steward - 2007

Born September 7, 1923
Died November 2, 2016
Initiated Harmony Lodge No. 370, Elgin, March 10, 1954; W.M. 1963, 2002, 2003

V.W. BRO. NORMAN FRANCIS DICKINSON
Assistant Grand Organist - 2008

Born 1929, Toronto
Died 10/18/2016
Initiated Zeta-Shamrock Lodge No. 410, Toronto, April 11, 1966; W.M. 1978
Affiliated Victory Lodge No. 547, Toronto, 2001
Affiliated Cedar Lodge No. 396, Wiarton, 2001

V.W. BRO. NORVALL HARVEY (NORM) DIX
Grand Steward - 2014

Born February 19, 1932, Tara
Died June 28, 2017
Initiated Lebanon Forest Lodge No. 133, Exeter, March 27, 1961
Affiliated Merrill Lodge No. 344, Nilestown, 1994; W.M. 1996, 2001, 2007, 2008
Affiliated Mellennium Lodge No. 743, Cambridge, 2000

V.W. BRO. PERCY MALCOLM DOUGLAS
Assisstant Grand Secretary - 1978

Died July 18, 2017
Initiated Pythagoras Lodge No. 137, Meaford, October 23, 1958; W.M. 1968

V.W. BRO. THORNTON WILLIAM EEDY
Grand Steward - 1974

Born 1919
Died February 21, 2017
Initiated Morning Star-Clinton Lodge No. 309, Carlow, April 12, 1950; W.M. 1958

V.W. BRO. NELSON PEARCE ELLIOTT

Grand Steward - 1998

Born 1925, West Nissouri Township

Died April 1, 2017

Initiated Mt. Olivet Lodge No. 300, Thorndale, March 21, 1957; W.M. 1968

V.W. BRO. WAYNE TELFORD FERRIS

Grand Steward - 1987

Born August 29, 1942

Died December 8, 2016

Initiated Dundalk Lodge No. 449, Dundalk, September 20, 1971; W.M. 1985

V.W. BRO. EMIL FRITSCHER

Grand Steward - 1989

Born 1923, Germany

Died April 15, 2017

Initiated Wilson Lodge No. 113, Waterford, December 9, 1970; W.M. 1978, 1985

V.W. BRO. HENRY JAMES FULLICK

Grand Steward - 1970

Died August 29, 2017

Initiated Tavistock Lodge No. 609, Tavistock, April 5, 1949; W.M. 1959, 1985

V.W. BRO. ARTHUR JOSEPH GAGNON

Grand Steward - 1993

Born October 16, 1931, Kenora

Died January 24, 2017

Initiated Pequonga Lodge No. 414, Kenora, October 6, 1971; W.M. 1978

V.W. BRO. WILFRED STEPHAN GOODMAN

Assistant Grand Organist - 2002

Born December 21, 1922, Saskatchewan

Died September 8, 2015

Initiated Hudson Bay Lodge No. 200, Saskatchewan, March 7, 1950

Chartered Member Carragana Lodge No. 209, Saskatchewan, 1951

Affiliated Ionic Lodge No. 25, Toronto, 1957; W.M. 1971

Affiliated Bedford Lodge No. 638, Thornhill, 1999

Affiliated Millennium Lodge No. 743, Toronto, 2001

Affiliated Lorne Lodge No. 377, Shelburne, 2007

V.W. BRO. EARNEST FREDERICK GOODYEAR

Grand Steward - 1990

Born November 7, 1924, Niagara Falls

Died October 13, 2016

Initiated Centennial Lodge No. 679, Niagara Falls, February 5, 1963; W.M. 1970, 1979, 1980

St. Mark's Lodge No. 105, Niagara Falls, 1990

V.W. BRO. GEORGE EDWIN GOURLAY

Grand Steward - 1988

Born February 26, 1923, Manitoba

Died June 22, 2017

Initiated Argus Lodge No. 133, Nova Scotia, September 23, 1964

Affiliated Bytown Lodge No. 721, Ottawa, 1969; W.M. 1985

V.W. BRO. JAMES ALBERT HALL
Grand Steward - 1994

Born 1919, Toronto
Died 11/16/2016
Initiated Perfect Column Lodge No. 510, Etobicoke; W.M. 1974

V.W. BRO. WILLIAM FREDERICK HAWKINS
Grand Steward - 2002

Died December 31, 2016
Initiated Eureka Lodge No. 283, Belleville, May 9, 1973; W.M. 2000

V.W. BRO. DOUGLAS HILBORN
Grand Standard Bearer - 2015

Born 1929
Died May 15, 2017
Initiated Conestogo Lodge No. 295, Drayton, November 20, 1956; W.M. 1967

V.W. BRO. RALPH LEWIS HILLGARTNER
Grand Steward - 1982

Born 1919, Hamilton
Died May 22, 2017
Initiated Harmony Lodge No. 57, Binbrook, December 27, 1955; W.M. 1967

V.W. BRO. GEORGE DARWIN HILLIS
Grand Steward - 2012

Born 1949
Died January 16, 2017
Initiated Wales Lodge No. 458, Ingleside, October 18, 1982; W.M. 1998, 2004
Amalgamation of Wales No. 458 with Farren Alt No. 256 to become
Lost Villages No. 256, 2006

V.W. BRO. ROBERT HOLLIDAY
Grand Steward - 2014

Born October 1, 1936
Died November 13, 2016
Initiated Unity Lodge No. 606, Etobicoke, January 6, 1999; W.M. 2006
Affiliated Anniversary Lodge No. 733, Etobicoke, 2013

V.W. BRO. LOUIS ALBERT HOPPINS
Assistant Grand Chaplain - 1988

Born 1933, Smiths Falls
Died April 11, 2017
Initiated St. Francis Lodge No. 24, Smiths Falls, October 4, 1962; W.M. 1971

V.W. BRO. ROBERT MANELL HUMPHREY
Grand Steward - 1997

Born March 23, 1949
Died September 15, 2017
Initiated Plattsville Lodge No. 178, Plattsville, September 3, 1982; W.M. 1989, 2015

V.W. BRO. DIETER ROLF JESCHOR
Grand Steward - 1997

Died May 28, 2017
Initiated Prince of Wales Lodge No. 371, Ottawa, January 9, 1959
Affiliated St. John's Lodge No. 63, Carleton Place, 1972; W.M. 1974

V.W. BRO. WARREN ELTON JONES
Grand Steward - 1983

Born August 10, 1918
Died May 25, 2017
Initiated Flower City Lodge No. 689, Brampton, May 9, 1963
Affiliated Bridgewood Lodge No. 713, Etobicoke, 1964; W.M. 1967

V.W. BRO. JOHN EDWARD JORDAN
Assistant Grand Chaplain - 1982

Born September 8, 1927, Sault Ste Marie
Died January 24, 2017
Initiated Ascot Lodge No. 30, Quebec, November 28, 1950
Affiliated Connaught Lodge No. 511, Thunder Bay, 1960
Affiliated Thunder Bay Lodge No. 618, Port Arthur; W.M. 1965
Thunder Bay Lodge No. 618 & Kaministiquia Lodge No. 584 Amal 2010

V.W. BRO. THOMAS JOHN KING
Grand Steward - 2002

Born May 5, 1934,
Died September 24, 2017
Initiated Clementi Lodge No. 313, Peterborough, March 4, 1975; W.M. 1993
Affiliated Percy Lodge No. 161, Warkworth, 1998
Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 2002

V.W. BRO. GEORGE ALFRED MALLOCH
Assistant Grand Chaplain - 2013

Born February 27, 1921
Died December 1, 2016
Initiated Pelee Lodge No. 627, Pelee Island, April 19, 1960; W.M. 1965, 1972, 1979, 2001, 2002, 2003

V.W. BRO. GEORGE ALEXANDER MARR
Grand Steward - 1975

Born June 18, 1926, Grimsby
Died June 18, 2017
Initiated North Bay Lodge No. 617, North Bay, January 25, 1957
Affiliated Algoma Lodge No. 469, Sault Ste. Marie, 1959; W.M. 1966

V.W. BRO. HUGH GORDON MCGREGOR
Grand Steward - 1979

Born 1922, Marintown
Died December 27, 2016
Initiated Martintown Lodge No. 596, Lancaster, December 8, 1949; W.M. 1957

V.W. BRO. WILLIAM WEIR MCINDOE
Grand Steward - 1983

Born 1933
Died November 8, 2016
Initiated Dufferin Daylight Lodge No. 570, Richmond Hill, February 6, 1962; W.M. 1969, 1978

V.W. BRO. PETER W. MCQUEEN
Grand Steward - 2009

Died May 23, 2017
Initiated Harmony Lodge No. 57, Binbrook, April 14, 1993; W.M. 2000, 2003

V.W. BRO. JOHN DOUGLAS MORTON
Grand Steward - 2001

Born October 5, 1931, Toronto

Died July 24, 2017

Initiated Riverdale John Ross Robertson Lodge No. 494, Toronto, October 13, 1972; W.M. 1983, 2008

Affiliated Heritage Lodge No. 730, Cambridge, 1999

V.W. BRO. JACK RONALD OSBORNE
Grand Steward - 2014

Died January 5, 2017

Initiated Scotland Lodge No. 193, Oakland, June 4, 1962; W.M. 1999, 2001

V.W. BRO. JOSEPH ALEXANDER PRIDDLE
Grand Steward - 2006

Born August 9, 1928

Died May 20, 2017

Initiated Dundalk Lodge No. 449, Dundalk, April 16, 1973; W.M. 1982, 1983, 2000, 2001, 2009

V.W. BRO. JOHN NOBLE QUEEN
Grand Steward - 2000

Born July 23, 1917, Leamington

Died October 24, 2016

Initiated St. George's Lodge No. 41, Kingsville, October 24, 1940; W.M. 1954

V.W. BRO. STEPHEN LESLIE RICKETTS
Grand Steward - 1998

Died July 8, 2016

Initiated Centennial Lodge No. 684, London, January 14, 1967; W.M. 1977

V.W. BRO. EDWARD McCANN ROBERTSON
Grand Steward - 1990

Born November 15, 1924, Scotland

Died August 22, 2017

Initiated North Star Lodge No. 322, Owen Sound, February 16, 1955; W.M. 1965

V.W. BRO. LLOYD GEORGE SLUTE
Grand Steward - 1987

Born April 12, 1905

Died March 10, 2017

Initiated Mount Zion Lodge No. 39, Brooklin, January 12, 1970; W.M. 1978

V.W. BRO. MANUEL JOSE SOLER
Grand Steward - 2014

Born February 5, 1944, Columbia, South America

Died December 17, 2016

Initiated Bedford Lodge No. 638, Toronto, April 18, 1989; W.M. 1997

Affiliated Kroy Lodge No. 676, Thornhill, 2001; W.M. 2006, 2007, 2008

Affiliated Dufferin Daylight Lodge No. 570, Thornhill, 2014

V.W. BRO. ROBERT GORDON SOUTHIN
Grand Steward - 2011

Born November 17, 1934, Ottawa

Died June 4, 2017

Initiated Goodwood Lodge No. 159, Richmond, March 7, 1989

Affiliated Madawaska Lodge No. 196, Arnprior, 1991

Affiliated Merrickville Lodge No. 55, Burritts Rapids, 1993; W.M. 1995

Affiliated Harmony Lodge No. 370, Elgin, 2004; W.M. 2006

V.W. BRO. SIDNEY EARL THACKER

Grand Steward - 1980

Born April 13, 1905

Died November 23, 2016

Initiated Scarboro Lodge No. 653, Toronto, September 28, 1959; W.M. 1974

V.W. BRO. CLARENCE THOMAS

Grand Steward - 1989

Died January 12, 2017

Initiated Mimosa Lodge No. 576, Aurora, March 2, 1964; W.M. 1975, 1983

V.W. BRO. WILLIAM BRYCE TOWILL

Grand Steward - 2008

Born May 6, 1926

Died July 5, 2017

Initiated Kaministiquia Lodge No. 584, Thunder Bay, March 7, 1972; W.M. 1979

V.W. BRO. BRIAN FRANCIS WALLACE

Grand Steward - 2010

Born April 21, 1944

Died July 1, 2017

Initiated Buchanan Lodge No. 550, Hamilton, April 5, 1990

Affiliated Myrtle Lodge No. 337, Port Robinson, 1996; W.M. 1997

V.W. BRO. DONALD FRANK WALTON

Grand Steward - 1993

Born October 23, 1924

Died March 19, 2017

Initiated Shuniah Lodge No. 287, Thunder Bay, April 16, 1957

Affiliated Manitou Lodge No. 631, Emo, 1980; W.M. 1984

V.W. BRO. ROBERT JAMES WASHBURN

Grand Steward - 2010

Born 1946, Windsor

Died August 18, 2017

Initiated St. George's Lodge No. 41, Kingsville, March 24, 1994; W.M. 2000

Affiliated Pelee Lodge No. 627, Pelee Island, 2000

V.W. BRO. PETER WESTWATER

Grand Steward - 2013

Died July 23, 2017

Initiated Unity Lodge No. 606, Etobicoke, May 13, 1963; W.M. 1971

Affiliated Long Branch Lodge No. 632, Etobicoke, 2013

V.W. BRO. JACK WILSON

Grand Steward - 2004

Born May 27, 1945, Toronto

Died May 13, 2017

Initiated Stevenson Lodge No. 218, Toronto, February 20, 1986

Affiliated Tottenham Lodge No. 467, Tottenham, 1992; W.M. 1999, 2002

WILLIAM MERCER WILSON MEDAL HOLDERS**BRO. HARRY JUNIOR COOPER**

Died June 14, 2017

Initiated Liberty Lodge No. 419, Sarnia, January 21, 1957

Affiliated Burns Lodge No. 153, Wyoming, 2005

Also a member of 4 other lodges

Received medal in 2007

BRO. SIDNEY GORDON HORNE

Born December 8, 1924,

Died July 2, 2017

Initiated Maple Leaf Lodge No. 103, St. Catharines, December 23, 1948

Affiliated Trent Lodge No. 38, Trenton, 1981

Received medal in 1999

BRO. JOHN BRUCE MEDLAND

Born October 7, 1927,

Died April 16, 2017

Initiated Mount Zion Lodge No. 39, Brooklin, June 5, 1956

Received medal in 2007

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Independent Auditor's Report

To the Most Worshipful Grand Master, Officers and Members of
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Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

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Management's Responsibility for the Financial Statements

Management is responsible for the preparation and fair presentation of these financial statements in accordance with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations, and for such internal control as management determines is necessary to enable the preparation of financial statements that are free from material misstatement, whether due to fraud or error.

Auditor's Responsibility

Our responsibility is to express an opinion on these financial statements based on our audit. We conducted our audit in accordance with Canadian generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we comply with ethical requirements and plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free from material misstatement.

An audit involves performing procedures to obtain audit evidence about the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. The procedures selected depend on the auditor's judgment, including the assessment of the risks of material misstatement of the financial statements, whether due to fraud or error. In making those risk assessments, the auditor considers internal control relevant to the entity's preparation and fair presentation of the financial statements in order to design audit procedures that are appropriate in the circumstances, but not for the purpose of expressing an opinion on the effectiveness of the entity's internal control. An audit also includes evaluating the appropriateness of accounting policies used and the reasonableness of accounting estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall presentation of the financial statements.

We believe that the audit evidence we have obtained is sufficient and appropriate to provide a basis for our audit opinion.

Opinion

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Chartered Professional Accountants

Licensed Public Accountants

July 18, 2017



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Chartered Professional Accountants
Licensed Public Accountants
July 18, 2017

Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc.

Statement of financial position
as at April 30, 2017

	General Fund	Segregated Fund	April 30, 2017	April 30, 2016
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Assets				
Current assets				
Cash and cash equivalents	83,582	35,797	119,379	114,683
Funds held for committees (Note 11)	58,765	-	58,765	55,451
Accrued dues	226,000	-	226,000	234,000
Receivables - dues, books and coins	51,495	-	51,495	30,585
Receivable from Masonic Holdings	40,000	-	40,000	-
Prepays	8,073	-	8,073	4,657
	467,915	35,797	503,712	439,376
Investments (Note 3)	3,434,828	3,307,397	6,742,225	6,148,550
	3,902,743	3,343,194	7,245,937	6,587,926
Liabilities				
Current liabilities				
Accounts payable and accruals	36,770	-	36,770	35,785
Deferred revenue	3,855	-	3,855	3,855
	40,625	-	40,625	39,640
Commitments (Note 9)				
Fund balance				
General Fund	3,862,118	-	3,862,118	3,412,027
Segregated Fund	-	3,343,194	3,343,194	3,136,259
	3,862,118	3,343,194	7,205,312	6,548,286
	3,902,743	3,343,194	7,245,937	6,587,926

Approved by the Board

Director

Director

The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this financial statement.

**Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted
Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc.**

Statement of operations and changes in fund balance
year ended April 30, 2017

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Revenue		
Bequests and donations	75	450
Commutations	3,500	3,500
Fees and dues	716,438	738,750
Investment income		
General	205,096	191,322
Gain on sale of investments	325,827	127,434
Masonic Education Newsletter - net (Note 5a)	-	(2,045)
College of Freemasonry Program - net (Note 5b)	2,395	3,019
Management fees from Masonic Holdings (Note 7)	8,000	8,000
Sale of books, buttons and anniversary coins	109,377	66,440
	1,370,708	1,136,870
Expenses		
Administrative - General Fund	836,427	763,922
Investment management fee - Segregated Funds	12,463	11,834
Benevolent grants	32,470	32,450
Pension	3,540	3,540
	884,900	811,746
Excess of revenue over expenses before unrealized gain on investments	485,808	325,124
Unrealized gain (loss) on investments	171,218	(200,448)
Excess of revenue over expenses	657,026	124,676
Fund balance, beginning of year	6,548,286	6,423,610
Fund balance, end of year	7,205,312	6,548,286

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Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc.

Statement of operations - General Fund
year ended April 30, 2017

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Revenue		
Fees for		
Initiation	15,195	16,170
Affiliation	7,740	7,320
Dues	677,840	701,670
Certificates	1,890	1,710
Dispensations	5,870	6,065
Miscellaneous	7,903	5,815
Investment income		
General	96,610	91,707
Gain on sale of investment	98,080	60,377
Masonic Education Newsletter - net (Note 5a)	-	(2,045)
College of Freemasonry Program - net (Note 5b)	2,395	3,019
Management fees from		
Masonic Holdings (Note 7)	8,000	8,000
Sale of		
Books	68,468	60,760
Buttons and medals	5,919	5,680
300th Anniversary Coins	34,990	-
	1,030,900	966,248
Expenses (Statement of expenses - General Fund)	836,428	763,922
Excess of revenue over expenses before		
unrealized gain on investments	194,472	202,326
Unrealized gain (loss) on investments	155,619	(90,073)
Excess of revenue over expenses	350,091	112,253
Fund balance, beginning of year	3,412,027	3,190,274
Interfund transfer from Commutation Fund	100,000	109,500
Fund balance, end of year	3,862,118	3,412,027

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Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc.

Statement of expenses - General Fund year ended April 30, 2017

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Administration		
Salaries and benefits - administrative staff	220,967	213,327
Salaries and benefits - Grand Secretary	79,710	79,596
Rent - office (Note 7)	88,100	83,003
Office	36,624	35,390
Data input and equipment	29,550	22,606
Honorary presentations	-	7,073
Insurance	10,220	10,130
Investment management fee	31,254	27,297
Miscellaneous	3,908	3,177
Office Technology/Assistance to Grand Secretary	-	1,591
Professional fees	18,645	18,645
Regalia	698	3,997
	519,676	505,832
Officer expenses		
Custodian of the work	2,473	2,832
Deputy Grand Master	15,000	10,000
Grand Chaplain	1,000	1,000
Grand Director of Ceremonies	4,000	4,000
Grand Master	20,000	20,000
Grand Secretary	2,690	708
	45,163	38,540
Conferences		
Conference of Canadian Grand Lodges	5,181	3,039
Conference of Grand Masters of North America	5,044	6,213
Conference of Grand Secretaries of North America	2,854	3,069
Representative to other Grand Lodges	16,357	7,347
Representative to World Conference	3,675	7,859
	33,111	27,527
Materials for resale		
Books	69,116	47,100
Buttons and medals	6,782	671
300th Anniversary Coins	14,810	-
	90,708	47,771
Grand Lodge Annual Communication		
Board	4,863	4,320
Grand Lodge banquet	36,375	37,269
Grand Lodge meeting	86,673	77,813
Banquet ticket sales	(38,135)	(39,843)
Preliminary proceedings	3,521	3,507
Proceedings of Grand Lodge	11,527	12,528
	104,824	95,594
Committee expenses (Note 4)	42,945	48,658
	836,427	763,922

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Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc.

Statement of operations and changes in fund balances - Segregated Fund
year ended April 30, 2017

	175th Anniversary Reserve Fund	Special Retirement Fund	Commutation Fund	Memorial Fund	2017	2016
	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$	\$
Revenue						
Commutation fees	-	-	3,500	-	3,500	3,500
Investment income						
General	1,934	2,243	62,129	42,180	108,486	99,615
Gain on sale of investments	1,776	105	183,815	42,051	227,747	67,057
Bequests and donations	-	-	-	75	75	450
	3,710	2,348	249,444	84,306	339,808	170,622
Expenses						
Pension	-	3,540	-	-	3,540	3,540
Investment management fee	392	542	11,528	-	12,462	11,834
Benevolent grants	-	-	-	32,470	32,470	32,450
	392	4,082	11,528	32,470	48,472	47,824
Excess of revenue over expenses (expenses over revenue)						
before unrealized gain on investments	3,318	(1,734)	237,916	51,836	291,336	122,798
Unrealized gain (loss) on investments	5,603	(134)	(61,896)	72,026	15,599	(110,375)
Net excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses	8,921	(1,868)	176,020	123,862	306,935	12,423
Fund balances, beginning of year	53,723	79,001	1,649,223	1,354,312	3,136,259	3,233,336
Interfund transfer to General Fund	-	-	(100,000)	-	(100,000)	(109,500)
Net excess (deficiency) of revenue over expenses	8,921	(1,868)	176,020	123,862	306,935	12,423
Fund balances, end of year	62,644	77,133	1,725,243	1,478,174	3,343,194	3,136,259

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Grand Lodge of Ancient Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc.

Statement of cash flows
year ended April 30, 2017

	General Fund	Segregated Fund	2017 Total	2016 Total
	\$	\$	\$	\$
Operating activities				
Excess of revenue over expenses	350,091	306,935	657,026	124,676
Adjustments for			-	-
Unrealized (gain) loss on investments	(155,619)	(15,599)	(171,218)	200,448
Gain on sale of investments	(98,080)	(227,747)	(325,827)	(127,434)
Interfund transfers	100,000	(100,000)	-	-
Change in non-cash operating working capital items				
Accrued dues	8,000	-	8,000	8,800
Receivables - dues and books	(20,910)	-	(20,910)	1,517
Prepays	(3,416)	-	(3,416)	4,288
Receivable from Masonic Holdings	(40,000)	-	(40,000)	-
Accounts payable and accruals	985	-	985	(5,445)
	141,051	(36,411)	104,640	206,850
Investing activities				
Purchase of investments	(1,061,487)	(1,081,159)	(2,142,646)	(2,371,103)
Proceeds from sale of investments	911,330	1,134,686	2,046,016	2,210,603
Proceeds from redemption of note receivable	-	-	-	35,000
	(150,157)	53,527	(96,630)	(125,500)
Net change in cash and cash equivalents	(9,106)	17,116	8,010	81,350
Cash and cash equivalents, beginning of year	151,453	18,681	170,134	88,784
Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	142,347	35,797	178,144	170,134
Cash and cash equivalents consists of				
Cash and cash equivalents	83,582	35,797	119,379	114,683
Funds held for committees	58,765	-	58,765	55,451
Cash and cash equivalents, end of year	142,347	35,797	178,144	170,134

The accompanying notes to the financial statements are an integral part of this financial statement.

Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc.

Notes to the financial statements

April 30, 2017

1. Description of the Organization

The Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc. (the "Organization") is a not-for-profit organization which serves as the central administrative body for Masonic Lodges in the Province of Ontario.

The Organization is exempt from income tax under section 149 of the Income Tax Act.

2. Significant accounting policies

Fund accounting

The Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc. follows the restricted fund method of accounting for contributions.

The General Fund reports the Organization's administrative activities.

Revenues and expenses related to the 175th Anniversary Fund, Special Retirement Fund, Commutation Fund and Memorial Fund are combined and reported in the Segregated Fund.

Cash and cash equivalents

Cash and cash equivalents include cash on hand, balances held with banks, and highly liquid temporary money market investments with original maturities of three months or less from the date of the acquisition.

Capital assets

Capital assets are recorded at cost less accumulated amortization. Only expenditures in excess of \$5,000 are capitalized.

Revenue recognition

Restricted contributions related to general operations are deferred or recognized as revenue of the General fund in the year in which the related expenses are incurred. All other restricted contributions are recognized as revenue of the appropriate restricted fund.

Unrestricted contributions are recognized as revenue of the General Fund in the year received or receivable if the amount to be received can be reasonably estimated and collection is reasonably assured.

Financial instruments

The Organization's financial instruments are comprised of cash and cash equivalents, funds held for committees, accrued dues, receivables, investments, notes receivable and accounts payable and accruals.

Cash and cash equivalents, funds held for committees and investments are initially recognized at fair value when the Organization becomes a party to the contractual provisions of the financial instrument. Subsequently, they are carried at fair value with changes in fair value recorded in the statement of operations. All other financial instruments are measured at amortized cost.

Transaction costs related to financial instruments measured subsequent to initial recognition at fair value are expensed as incurred. Transaction costs related to other financial instruments are added to the carrying value of the asset or netted against the carrying of the liability and are then recognized over the expected life of the instrument using the effective interest method. Any premium or discount related to an instrument measured at amortized cost is amortized over the expected life of the item using the straight-line method and recognized in operations as interest income or expense.

Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc.

Notes to the financial statements
April 30, 2017

2. Significant accounting policies (continued)

Financial instruments (continued)

With respect to financial assets measured at cost or amortized cost, the Organization recognizes in operations an impairment loss, if any, when there are indicators of impairment and it determines that a significant adverse change has occurred during the period in the expected timing or amount of future cash flows. When the extent of impairment of a previously written-down asset decreases and the decrease can be related to an event occurring after the impairment was recognized, the previously recognized impairment loss is reversed to operations in the period the reversal occurs.

Use of estimates

The preparation of financial statements in conformity with Canadian accounting standards for not-for-profit organizations requires management to make estimates and assumptions that affect the reported amounts of assets and liabilities, the disclosure of contingent assets and liabilities at the date of the financial statements and reported amounts of revenue and expenses during the period. Actual results could differ from these estimates. Significant areas requiring management estimates include amortization of capital assets, determination of useful lives of assets and calculation of accrued liabilities.

3. Investments

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
General Fund	3,434,828	3,030,972
175th Anniversary Reserve Fund	59,850	52,963
Special Retirement Fund	70,983	77,994
Commutation Fund	1,713,380	1,642,605
Memorial Fund	1,463,184	1,344,016
Segregated Fund	3,307,397	3,117,578
	6,742,225	6,148,550

During the year, the Organization sold portfolio investments totaling \$2,046,016 (2016 - \$2,210,603) and purchased additional investments totaling \$2,142,646 (2016 - \$2,371,103).

Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc.

Notes to the financial statements

April 30, 2017

4. Committee expenses - General Fund

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Audit and finance	494	402
Benevolence	87	78
Blood donors	312	249
Brock University	1,558	345
Communications	187	204
Condition of Masonry	3,806	3,328
DDGM orientation	3,059	2,662
Discipline	207	208
Fraternal reviews	1,050	1,000
Leadership development	500	981
Library		
Rent (Note 7)	3,800	3,500
General	2,184	10,042
Lodge buildings	174	-
Lodge finances	20	574
Lodge resources	1,808	2,662
Long range planning	-	494
Management committee	526	352
Masonic education	418	966
Museum rent (Note 7)	7,900	7,500
Protocol and etiquette	1,707	1,093
Seminars and workshops at Grand Lodge	-	221
Special discretionary	6,830	467
Special events	3,755	-
Website	1,173	8,285
Youth initiatives	1,390	3,045
	42,945	48,658

5. Programs

a) Masonic Education Newsletter

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Revenue	-	306
Expenses	-	(2,351)
	-	(2,045)

Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc.

Notes to the financial statements

April 30, 2017

5. Programs (continued)

b) College of Freemasonry Program

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Revenue	12,436	24,552
Expenses	(10,041)	(21,533)
	2,395	3,019

6. Defined contribution pension plan

The Organization participates in a defined contribution pension plan with eligible employees. The Organization matches contributions up to a maximum of 5% of individual employee gross earnings. The assets of the plan are held separately from those of the Organization in independently administered funds. During the year, the Organization incurred pension expenses totaling \$12,120 (2016 - \$10,270).

Post-retirement benefits

The Organization offers post-retirement benefits to retired former employees which consist of health insurance benefits. Amounts have been appropriately expensed in the current year through administration expenses in the General fund. The post-retirement benefits are offered until the date of death of these former employees; therefore an obligation has not been disclosed as the amount is not measurable.

7. Related party transactions

During the year, Grand Lodge paid rent to Masonic Holdings in the amount of \$99,800 (2016 - \$94,003) and received management fees in the amount of \$8,000 (2016 - \$8,000). These transactions are in the normal course of operations and are measured at the exchange amount which is the amount of consideration established and agreed to by the related parties. Masonic Holdings is a not-for-profit organization whose board of directors are members of the Board of General Purposes of Grand Lodge.

Rent paid to Masonic Holdings consists of the following:

	2017	2016
	\$	\$
Office rent - General Fund (Statement of expenses - General Fund)	88,100	83,003
Library rent - General Fund (Note 4)	3,800	3,500
Museum rent - General Fund (Note 4)	7,900	7,500
	99,800	94,003

8. Related entities

The Board of Directors of both The Masonic Foundation of Ontario and Masonic Holdings consists of members of the Board of General Purposes of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc.

The object of The Masonic Foundation of Ontario is to receive, maintain, manage, control and use donations exclusively for charitable purposes within Ontario. The Foundation is permitted to use its donations for the relief of poverty, the advancement of education and the advancement of other purposes beneficial to the community. The Foundation is committed to funding bursaries, hearing research, drug and substance abuse, education in the school systems and other specific and community projects which fall within its guidelines.

Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc.

Notes to the financial statements

April 30, 2017

8. Related entities (continued)

Title to the land and building, situated at 363 King Street West, Hamilton, Ontario was taken in the name of Masonic Holdings Inc., an entity incorporated as a not-for-profit corporation within the meaning of the Income Tax Act (Canada) and without share capital. Masonic Holdings Inc. was incorporated in 1957 to acquire and operate adequate premises for the administration, personnel and staff of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc.

9. Commitments

The Organization has commitments for leases of office, museum and library space as well as office equipment with various expiry dates up to 2022. Future lease payments aggregate \$411,662 and include the following amounts payable over the remaining period:

	\$
2018	102,852
2019	102,852
2020	102,852
2021 and beyond	103,106
	<hr/> 411,662

10. Financial instruments

Financial risk

The value of a financial instrument can be affected by changes in interest rates, foreign exchange rates, equity and commodity prices and credit spreads.

Market risk

Market risk is the potential for loss from changes in the value of financial instruments.

The Organization is exposed to market risk in the investment portfolio as well as through non-trading activities. Market risk in investment activities is managed by the senior management of the Organization and every investment transaction is guided by policy and regulatory limitations.

Interest rate risk

The interest rate risk is the risk that arises from fluctuations in interest rates and the degree of volatility of these rates. The Organization does not use derivative instruments to reduce its exposure to interest rate risk.

Liquidity risk

Liquidity risk is the risk that the Organization cannot meet a demand for cash or fund obligations as they come due. Liquidity risk also includes the risk of not being able to liquidate assets in a timely manner at a reasonable price. Management manages liquidity risk and monitors the cash and funding needs on a daily basis.

Fair value

The fair value of cash and cash equivalents, accrued dues, receivables, notes receivable and accounts payable and accrued liabilities approximate their carrying values due to their short-term maturity.

The fair value of investments are marked to their market value.

Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc.

Notes to the financial statements

April 30, 2017

11. Funds held for committees

At April 30, 2017, the Organization held funds totaling \$12,042 (2016 - \$11,980) for the Reflections Newsletter Committee. On behalf of the College of Freemasonry, the Organization held funds of \$46,723 (2016 - \$43,471).

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON AUDIT AND FINANCE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. J. C. Sutherland, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. J. C. Sutherland, it was adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The Audit & Finance Committee will begin their report with words of thanks for all who contributed to the positive change being enacted in the Grand Lodge office. Thanks go to our Grand Master and the Past Grand Masters. Particular thanks go to P.G.M. M.W. Bro. Donald H. Mumby for agreeing to Chair the Ad Hoc Committee for a Chief Operating Officer and to R.W. Bro. Edward Standish for serving on that Ad Hoc Committee and on the hiring committee for our new Chief Operating Officer. And finally a thank-you to our Grand Secretary, M.W. Bro. Terence Shand for assisting the Ad Hoc Committee and now working with our new C.O.O. Evan Woodhead to ensure a smooth transition to our new Grand Lodge Office structure. The Audit & Finance Committee is very pleased to see our recommendations now in place.

During the past Masonic Year your Audit & Finance Committee completed the following tasks:

- 1) A new Investment Account for Lodges was established as part of the Tactical Plan for Grand Lodge. This new account will provide Lodges with the opportunity to access professional money managers for any excess funds not required for the day to day operation of the Lodge.
- 2) Financial Statements of all the Grand Lodge Funds were reviewed on a monthly basis.
- 3) The annual reports of the Grand Secretary and the Grand Treasurer were reviewed and your committee recommends the adoption of these reports.
- 4) Financial Statements for the College of Freemasonry were monitored quarterly. As of April 30, 2017 Grand Lodge held in trust for the College of Freemasonry \$46,723.
- 5) The Newsletter Reflections has now ceased publication. Grand Lodge holds in trust \$12,042 for the Newsletter. How these funds will be distributed will be decided in the 2017-2018 Masonic Year.
- 6) Grand Lodge staff salaries were reviewed.
- 7) Grand Lodge insurance policies, the Grand Lodge Insurance Program and the Grand Lodge Pension Plan were reviewed.
- 8) A rolling 5 year Budget for Grand Lodge was updated.
- 9) A Budget was established for Grand Lodge for the 2017-2018 Masonic Year.
- 10) Grand Lodge expenditures were reviewed twice during the year and found to be in order.
- 11) The Investment Policy Statement was reviewed and no changes were made.
- 12) A new Committee Budget Form was prepared in an effort to have committee expenditures more closely resemble the figures submitted for the budget and what is actually spent each year.
- 13) Financial Policies updated: For Allowances now reads – Reimbursement for accommodations will only apply to those Board Members and non-Board Member Team Leaders who register at the Annual Communication and whose name appears on the Grand Lodge Group Rooming List. For the Commutation Fund now reads – The Commutation Fund shall be withdrawn at a rate of the per

capita rate as subscribed in the Book of Constitution with half withdrawn on June 30 and the balance on December 31 of each year.

Committee Recommendations:

- 1) During the coming Masonic Year a decision be made by the Management Committee on how best to use the funds held in trust for the Newsletter Reflections now that it has ceased to be published.
- 2) As we are now a Non Profit Corporation it is important that individuals receiving honoraria from Grand Lodge keep detailed travel expense records. This is needed to protect the individual receiving these funds in the event that they are audited by the Canada Revenue Agency.

Investment Portfolio:

Your committee met 3 times during the year with 1832 Asset Management L.P. to review our investments and the income generated. As of April 30, 2017 the General Fund of Grand Lodge stood at \$3,434,828 as compared to \$3,030,972 on April 30, 2016. The other funds under the purview of this committee totaled an additional \$3,307,397 which is detailed in the notes of the audited financial statements. The overall Investment Portfolio of Grand Lodge as of April 30, 2017 stood at \$6,742,225 compared to \$6,148,500 on April 30, 2016. All investments have been expressed at market value. We recommend along with the Grand Treasurer that 1832 Asset Management L.P. continue to be engaged as the Grand Lodge portfolio manager.

Financial Statements:

At a May 31, 2017 meeting of the Audit & Finance Committee the audited financial statements of Grand Lodge for the year ended April 30, 2017 were reviewed and discussed in detail with our auditors, Deloitte L.L.P. The audited financial statements can be found elsewhere in the Annual Proceedings. For the year ended April 30, 2017 the General Fund of Grand Lodge experienced before the application of unrealized capital gains or losses on investments and excess of revenue over expenses of \$194,472 for the fiscal 2016-2017 year. This compares with an excess of revenue over expenses of \$202,326 for the fiscal 2015-2016 year. The consolidated financial statements for all funds shows an excess of revenue over expenditures of \$485,808 before the application of unrealized capital gains or losses on investments. The committee recommends that the audited financial statements for the year ended April 30, 2017 be adopted as submitted. We also recommend the continued engagement of Deloitte L.L.P. as our auditors. Once again we thank David Tonin CA and his team for conducting the audit to meet the tight timelines required by Grand Lodge.

Budget:

The requirements of all Grand Lodge Committees were used in preparation of the annual budget for Grand Lodge for the year ending April 30, 2018. The requirements of the Grand Lodge Committees for the coming Masonic Year total \$86,640. The budget for the General Fund for the coming Masonic Year is set out in the appendix of this report and reflects anticipated revenue of \$962,000 and expenses of \$1,046,710 before the application of unrealized capital gains and losses on investments. The anticipated budget deficit is \$84,710.

Your committee submits for your consideration and approval the estimate of revenue and expenses as they relate to the General Fund for the period ending April 30, 2018. The committee believes that the budget set out in this report is realistic and provided for items that can be reasonably foreseen to meet the obligations, financial responsibilities and commitments of the General Fund of Grand Lodge for the coming year.

Charitable Donations:

Your committee reviewed the donations made by the Grand Master on behalf of our Grand Lodge. The donations totaled \$2,689.50. This was made up of \$1,340.35 to the Masonic Service Association for the Louisiana flooding and \$1,349.15 to the Masonic Service Association for the North Carolina flood disaster.

To my committee members R.W. Bros. Norman McCarthy, Paul Skazin and Randy Hawken and V.W. Bro. Alan Stoddart without your input and help I would have been unable to do my job. I thank-you for a job well done. Thank-you to the Grand Secretary and the staff of Grand Lodge for your assistance to this committee. To the Ex-Officio members M.W. Bro. John C. Green, R.W. Bros. Paul Todd, Tom Hogeboom, Edward Standish and Brian Koivu your contributions and advice greatly benefited the committee.

JAMES C. SUTHERLAND, Chairman

Motion to Amalgamate:

This report was presented by R.W. Bro. James C. Sutherland, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. James C. Sutherland, to amalgamate Masonic Holdings Inc., with the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario Inc. –

The motion is moved and seconded, any discussion on the motion?

Motion was voted on and carried by the members.

COMMITTEE OPERATIONAL BUDGETS**2017/2018**

Name	Expense 2015/2016	Budget 2016/2017	Expense 2016/2017	Budget 2017/2018
Audit and Finance	402	600	494	700
Benevolence	78	250	87	250
Blood Donors	249	250	312	335
Book Sales	-	-	-	700
Brock Partnership	345	11,000	1,558	2000
College of Freemasonry	-	1,540	10,041	1000
Communications	8,489	20,000	1,360	13200
Condition of Masonry	3,328	3,850	3,806	5500
Constitution & Jurisprudence	-	-	-	-
D.D.G.M. Orientation	2,662	3,000	3,059	3836
Discipline	208	200	207	200
Fraternal Reviews	1,000	1,050	1,050	1050
Leadership Development	981	750	500	3100
Library	10,042	2,500	2,184	3800
Lodge Building Advisory	-	-	174	400
Lodge Finances Advisory	574	1,000	20	1000
Lodge Resources	2,662	11,000	1,808	5914
Long Range Planning	494	600	-	-
Management Committee	352	2,000	526	2000
Masonic Education	966	9,000	418	-
MasonicChip	-	-	-	20000
Ontario Mason/Reflections	-	-	-	800
Protocol & Etiquette	1,093	4,900	1,707	4985
Public Awareness	-	-	-	1750
Seminars & Workshops	221	2,000	-	2000
Special Events	-	3,000	3,755	3500
Strategic Planning	-	-	-	200
D.G.M. Special Discretionary	467	7,000	6,830	5000
Youth Initiatives	3,045	3,000	1,390	3420
TOTAL	37,658	88,490	41,286	86,640

SCHEDULE OF REVENUES

	Revenue 2015/2016	Budget 2016/2017	Revenue 2016/2017	Budget 2017/2018
Initiations	16,170	16,000	15,195	16,000
Affiliations	7,320	6,000	7,740	7,000
Dues	701,670	680,000	677,840	660,000
Commutation Fee	109,500	100,000	100,000	93,000
Certificates	1,710	2,000	1,890	2,000
Dispensations	6,065	5,000	5,870	6,000
Miscellaneous	5,815	4,000	7,903	4,000
Books	60,760	60,000	68,468	60,000
College of Freemasonry	974	10,000	12,436	-
Pins, Medals, Jewels, Coins	5,680	5,000	40,909	11,000
Investment Income General	152,084	90,000	194,690	95,000
Administration Fee Masonic				
Holdings	8,000	8,000	8,000	8,000
TOTAL	1,075,748	986,000	1,140,941	962,000

GENERAL FUND SCHEDULE OF OPERATIONAL EXPENSES

	Expenses 2015/2016	Budget 2016/2017	Expenses 2016/2017	Budget 2017/2018
Salaries and employee Benefits	292,923	364,000	300,677	427,600
Rent - Office	83,003	88,100	88,100	88,100
Rent - Library and Museum	11,000	11,700	11,700	11,700
Office expense and Postage	35,390	40,000	36,624	40,000
Furniture and Equipment	-	7,500	1,871	7,500
Technical Services, Data Input and Equipment	22,606	30,000	27,680	30,000
Insurance	10,130	12,000	10,220	12,000
Professional Fees	18,645	26,000	18,645	21,000
Miscellaneous and Bank Charges	3,177	5,500	3,908	3,850
Regalia	3,997	1,000	698	2,000
Office Technology Asst to Grand Secretary	1,591	5,000	-	5,000
Honourary Pins	7,073	3,000	-	4,000
Grand Master 's Expenses	20,000	20,000	20,000	25,000
Deputy Grand Master's Expenses	10,000	15,000	15,000	10,000
Grand Secretary Expenses	708	7,500	2,690	7,500
Grand Chaplain	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
Grand Director of Ceremonies	4,000	4,000	4,000	4,000
Custodian of the Work	2,832	9,700	2,473	9,320
Representative to other Grand Lodges	7,347	16,000	16,357	16,000
Representative to World Conference	7,859	7,500	3,675	5,000
Conf. of GM's of North America	6,213	8,000	5,044	8,000
Conf of Gr. Sec of North America	3,069	4,000	2,854	4,000
Conf of Canadian Grand Lodges	3,039	5,000	5,181	5,000
Committee expenses	37,658	88,490	41,286	86,640
Printing Preliminary Reports	3,507	4,000	3,521	4,000
Printing Proceedings	12,528	14,000	11,527	14,000
Board Meeting & Misc expenses	4,320	5,000	4,863	6,000
General Expenses (Grand Lodge)	67,739	80,000	77,513	90,000
Grand Lodge Balloting	7,500	7,500	7,400	7,500
Buttons, medals and coins for resale	671	8,000	21,591	11,000
Printing of material for resale	47,100	35,000	69,116	50,000
Investment Management Fee	27,297	20,000	31,254	30,000
TOTAL	763,922	953,490	846,468	1,046,710

REPORT OF THE GRAND TREASURER

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. T. W. Hogeboom, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. T. W. Hogeboom, it was adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Once again this year, at the 162nd session of our Annual Communication, I have the honour and pleasure to submit the Grand Treasurer's Report for the Masonic year 2016 – 2017. I am pleased to assure you that, as the 'Financial Conscience of our Grand Lodge,' the finances of our Grand Lodge are in a sound and satisfactory state and that the bottom line indicates further growth in our financial assets. Our financial base continues to trend in a positive direction. Capital preservation and modest growth over time are the goals of our investment strategy. It also gives me a great deal of pleasure to be able to repeat my comments from last year that those responsible for the administration of the affairs of your Grand Lodge are worthy of much credit for the excellent financial statements and unmodified audit that is printed in these Proceedings.

The foundation of our sound financial position is due in no small part to the professional management of the Grand Lodge investment portfolio under the direction of our Portfolio Manager, Marcia Wisniewski, of Scotia Private Client Group 1832 Asset Management L.P. Again, we have been most pleased with the wisdom and care exhibited in the management of these funds and recommend the approval of continuing this relationship on the existing terms.

As for the Grand Lodge investment strategy, There have been no asset allocation range changes in our Investment Policy Statement since October 2013 when we made a change to allow for a heavier weight of equities. The Investment Policy Statement was last reviewed on May 31st with our Portfolio Manager where no changes were made. As of the year ending April 30, 2017 our investment asset package was at 56% in equities, 40% in bonds and 4% in cash. We continue to employ fixed income securities rated at a minimum of BBB; equities from an approved listing while avoiding derivative instruments and hedge funds. Tactical shifts to asset allocation are made periodically to ensure that we take advantage of economic conditions. Stock selection criteria is consistent with our primary goals and adjustments are made on an ad hoc basis with new names being added as deemed appropriate. We invest in companies which provide essential goods and services, many of which you and I pay our household bills to every month like clockwork. The world would have to change dramatically for these companies to cease being good investments and this would likely only take place over a protracted period of time in which we would react. Even in the current trending marketplace you can rest assured that your Grand Lodge will continue to invest prudently and conservatively enough to never risk the advantages made in this area by our predecessors.

At our last investment portfolio review after the year ending April 30, 2017, Scotia noted an annual total return in our portfolio percentage yield at year end of 11.44%. The annual investment income of \$593,675 has increased our consolidated portfolio asset base to a closing market value of \$6,742,225. What a difference a year can make!

As for the 2017 – 2018 portfolio year, Scotia is projecting a modest rate of return of 3.73% or a total return projection of \$253,164 less the management fees of 65 basis points.

I am most pleased to report that we are going to be able to continue our promise made at the Annual Communication of 2011 that we would not have an increase in the Grand Lodge Assessment for the next five years. As with each of these last six years now, this has been an item of review as R.W. Bro. Paul Skazin runs the financials during the budgeting process. The surpluses generated in the first few years of the original five year plan have more than covered the increased expenditures over the latter part of this term to the point where we will not be increasing the assessment as predicted again this year. However, we will continue to do an annual review to assure we don't fall behind and continue to set an example for the Lodges to follow. So when you receive your ballot from one of the Grand Lodge staff or when you get a chance to meet one of the Grand Lodge Committee Team Leaders in a hospitality room over the next couple of days, be sure and thank them for being fiscally responsible administrators of your dues.

We wish to express our sincere appreciation to the Grand Secretary, M.W. Bro. Terry Shand, and the Grand Lodge staff again this year for having a 'clean/unmodified' audit by Deloitte LLP. It is very comforting to your Grand Treasurer to hear David Tonin report from our audit firm that "the significant accounting practices, selected and applied by management are, in all material respects, acceptable under Canadian accounting standards for Not-For-Profit Organizations and are appropriate to the particular circumstances of Grand Lodge."

The Audit and Finance Committee of our Grand Lodge continues to review monthly, report to the Management Committee and the Board of General Purposes of our Grand Lodge when called upon and reports annually to the membership as a whole on all sources of income and items of expenditure. This job of managing every financial aspect of what is a very successful business with an annual budget in excess of \$955,000 is a daunting task and we must recognize all those volunteers involved, the Grand Lodge Committee Team Leaders and the Grand Lodge staff who monitor and manage within these boundaries. We commend each of those involved for their stewardship and commitment to the financial stability of our Grand Lodge. I continue to pledge my support and thanks to each and every Grand Lodge Committee, Team Leader, Grand Secretary – and now the Chief Operating Officer - who spend so much time detailing accurate and accountable annual budgets and then living within them as approved by the Management Committee and the Grand Master. Thank-you my Brethren!

Sincerely and fraternally submitted.

THOMAS W. HOGEBROOM, Grand Treasurer

REPORT OF THE MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. P. E. Todd, Chairman, and on motion of R.W. Bro. D. M. Sheen seconded by R.W. Bro. P. E. Todd it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

It is my pleasure to present this report to Grand Lodge as the Chairman of the Management Committee on behalf of its several Members.

The Management Committee acts in an advisory capacity to the Grand Master and Grand Lodge on all matters deemed to be in the best interests of and for the better administration of the Craft.

The committee composition is as follows; the Grand Master, the Deputy Grand Master (who is the Chairman), the Grand Treasurer, the Grand Secretary and 3 elected

Members of the Board, R.W. Bros: John Hay, Tom Siemiernik, David Cameron and two appointed members appointed by the Grand Master R.W. Bro. Barry Burchill and Edward Standish.

The Team Leader of Audit & Finance by a duly moved and second motion of the Management Committee attends in an advisory capacity.

The Committee met seven times this year in the Board Room at the Grand Lodge office and all meetings were governed by a committee approved agenda.

Each meeting opened with remarks by the Grand Master and the Deputy Grand Master and acceptance of the minutes of the previous meetings.

The Grand Secretary, Grand Treasurer and the Chairman of Audit and Finance then gave an update to the Management committee in their area of expertise which was then followed by the updating of issues arising from the minutes of previous meetings.

This year the Grand Master and Deputy Grand Master restructured the Grand Lodge Committee's to make it more effective and efficient.

The evolution of the Management Committee has gone from the many Chairmen of various Grand Lodge Committees presenting their suggestions for new programs or requests for budget increase directly to the Management committee.

The next step in the evolution of the Management Committee was the elected and appointed members of the committee acted as Liaisons for defined groups of Grand Lodge Committees which was efficient however allowed for the creation of "silos" which proved detrimental to the efficiency of the Management Committee.

This restructure consisted of only five Committees down from a previous high of over twenty five committees.

Each of the five elected or appointed members of the Management Committee were the Committee Chairman and each Committee consisted of several Teams led by Team Leaders.

Each Chairman was required to meet with his committee a minimum of four times a year; three could be by conference call however one must be face to face.

A review at the recent bi-annual Crieff Retreat attended by twenty four Board of General Purposes members examined and endorsed the new Committee structure with a minor change which will be implemented this year.

The five Committees of Grand Lodge are as follows with the appropriate Team Leaders.

<u>Craft Stewardship Committee</u>	<u>Chairman</u>	<u>R.W. Bro. David Cameron</u>
Strategic Planning	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Steven Warren
DDGM Orientation	Team Leader	R.W. Bro Jamie Ireland
Condition of Masonry	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Richard Kaufman
Seminars & Workshops	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Les Armstrong
Fraternal Correspondence	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Robert Manz

<u>Education & Training Committee</u>	<u>Chairman</u>	<u>R.W. Bro. John Hay</u>
Education	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Iain Wates
Library/Museum/Archives	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Charlie Reid
Brock University Partnership	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Gareth Taylor
College of Freemasonry	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. David Armstrong
Book Sales	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. George Warner

<u>Lodge Resources Committee</u>	<u>Chairman</u>	<u>R.W. Bro. Barry Burchill</u>
Leadership Development	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Charles Woods
Brother to Brother	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Leyland Muss

Friend to Friend/Mentor	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Keith Jones
Officer Progression	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Perry McConnell
Cornerstone Project	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Art DiCecco

<u>Operations Committee</u>	<u>Chairman</u>	<u>R.W. Bro. Edward Standish</u>
Audit & Finance	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Jim Sutherland
Benevolence	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Paul Skazin
Lodge Finance	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Brian Koivu
Lodge Building	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. William Atkinson
<u>Communication Committee</u>	<u>Chairman</u>	<u>R.W. Bro. Tom Siemiernik</u>
Website	Team Leader	V.W. Bro. Michael Locke
Internal Comm. & Pub. Review	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Jim Sercombe
Ontario Mason	Team Leader	W. Bro. Dan Dignard
Blood Donors	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. John Forester
Youth Initiatives	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Terrance Van Horne
Public Awareness	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Ron Findlater
E-Mail Distribution	Team Leader	R.W. Bro. Peter Sialtsis

Fraternal Relations	M.W. Bro. Terence Shand
Constitution & Jurisprudence	R.W. Bro. Fred Halpern
Discipline	R.W. Bro. David Jacklin, reports to the Grand Master
Protocol & Etiquette	R.W. Bro. Gordon Crutcher reports to the Custodian of the Work

Each Committee Chairman compiled a report of their Team Leaders before each Management meeting, circulated the combined reports to all members of the Management Committee and came prepared to present the reports and answer any question which might arise from the several reports.

Notes:

Early in the Masonic year R.W. Bro. Tom Siemiernik suffered a serious cardiac issue which required him to step aside for several months. R.W. Bro. Tom Hogeboom Grand Treasurer volunteered to assume R.W. Bro Siemiernik Committee duties and for that we say thank you.

R.W. Bro. Lanny Salmon assisted for most of the year, the duties for R.W. Bro. Charles Reid because of Charlie’s poor health and then his passing. We thank Lanny for his assistance.

We also thank the four Team Leaders who are not Members of the Board of General Purposes for their efforts throughout the year; your work did not go unnoticed.

The following issues were dealt with over the course of this Masonic year and many other issues were resolved by the Chairmen and Team Leaders.

Management Committee

- Recommend that since the plans for a new Lodge in Georgian North, Parry Sound are moving forward and that the necessary papers are signed, given dispensation to meet under the name Goodfellows Lodge U.D.
 - A concern regarding the follow up to Grand Lodge Insurance program letter as it relates to public liability which was send out to all Lodges, 225 Lodges did not respond, 309 reported to which 137 Lodges do not have adequate coverage. 104 Lodges who followed the program now have adequate coverage and 20 Lodge were found to be properly insured by other programs, the letter recommended one million in liability and one million in non-owned auto coverage.
- Yearly pledge to Brock University for Sankey Lecture was paid, dates set for 2017, Sankey Lecture are set, there was a need for more publicity, discussion continue on 300 Anniversary Symposium for 2017. Symposium cancelled in October

by Brock University, Grand Master sent a letter to Brock University regarding funds raised for Symposium.

- More accurate budgets from Committee and Team Leaders is needed to keep spending and budgeting more in line, recommend more “itemized” budget form be created which was done.
- Ontario Mason & the Education newsletter Reflection will continue to publish electronically but independently of each other. Reflections will be published under the direction of the Education Team.
 - Grand Lodge’s International Plowing Match trailer to be refurbished by the District, Grand Lodge to cover its costs.
- DDGM Orientation has a 8 session plan in place, 4 sessions in fall, 4 in spring, Condition of Masonry Team to be part of presentation, suggestion made to consider week night sessions as well as weekends.
 - Concern on Meet & Greet at Grand Lodge, consider options of; change of time, change format or discontinue, Seminars & Workshop Team to address, decision was made to cancel this event.
- Seminar & Workshop to address policy of Audio Visual Equipment at Grand Lodge, decided that presenters were responsible for necessary equipment using their Committee budgets.
 - All Teams that do their own workshops must advise Seminars & Workshops to eliminate duplication of workshops in Districts.
- Grand Masters letter to Immediate Past Masters of Lodges continues via Education Team data base of Lodge Installations now 65% completed.
 - College of Freemasonry to develop a detailed policy & Procedure manual outlining all of the methods, data collection, promotions, recordkeeping and course information that comprises the complete operations of the College of Freemasonry (completed), it was recommend that Condition of Masonry, Cornerstone, Library Museum & Archives and Communications (Internal, External, E-mail Distributions) develop similar Policy & Procedure manual.
- Feedback letters from Condition of Masonry require further discussion, Grand Master and Deputy review, made changes and approve the sending to Lodges
 - Grand Master prepared and sent a letter to the Widow’s Son clarifying there is no Grand Lodge connection.
- Unfortunate behavior at Grand Lodge in 2016, ongoing discussion with hotel staff regarding hospitality rooms, policy adopted that Hospitality suites will have to be identified and reserved separately.
 - Grand Historian R.W. Bro. S. Michael Jenkyns start sending out in January informative historical papers, they have been submitted to newspapers, websites and newsletters.
- E-Mail Distribution policy created, Masonic events i.e. reception go through Grand Secretary before being sent out, Committee & Team initiatives to through their Chairmen before being sent out for distribution.
 - Clarification regarding College of Freemasonry fees, they are transferred to Grand Lodge, any expenses must be taken out of the College budget, not the fees.
- All four L forms to be examined for unnecessary questions or possible word changes, subcommittee set up to review, mandate to reduce “nice to know” questions as well as those questions that may be “inconsequential” to the formations of recommendations, resulted in a 27% reduction in questions.
- Production on L form continue in house on website.
 - Decline at this time the need for a District media officer for all Districts, interview and message need to come from Grand Lodge not the District level.

- Discussion on the benefits of having more time between degree was adopted with a possible amendment.
 - Social Media policy which mirrors the UGLE policy reviewed and adopted with wide distribution through E-Mail distribution.
- Rewrite of the Benevolence Booklet; follow up on progress and format, software to allow requests to be handled on line.
 - On recommendation of Strategic planning Education video & Exit tactical plan projects are put on hold.
- Recommend that the placing of Granite Markers at the gravesite of Past Grand Masters be replaced by photos, location records to be maintained in the Archives of Grand Lodge.
 - Lodge Building Compliance continue with some concern by Lodge & Temples however the fire at Weston Temple prompted the Temple Secretary to write the following: "I must say that I believe that the fire doors we were recently required to install, following the Grand Lodge initiative to get Temple Buildings up to code, were crucial in protecting areas of the basement adjacent to the main hall where the fire was located. May be the best money we've ever spent."
- Recommend merger of Masonic Holdings and Grand Lodge, several meeting of the two corporations scheduled.
 - Issues arising with Study Groups caused by no "standard presentation", until College of Freemasonry recommends such a presentation and it is approved, Study Groups must have consent from the Grand Master or Deputy Grand Master to operate.
- Recommended that the report of the Official visit is provided to the Lodge before the next regular meeting.

Tactical Plans: 2016-17

Project 15-02 (continued from last year)

Develop a comprehensive five year marketing plan in line with the Grand Lodge Strategic Plan (vision and mission) and to deliver a five year Marketing Plan approved by the Management Committee, Board of General Purposes.

Project 2015-03 (continued from last year)

Development of a unified resources for candidates with communication and distribution of the resource to all Lodges, also available on the Grand Lodge Website.

Project 2016-01

Delivery and execution of the Grand Lodge Privacy Policy with progress towards and delivery of the eight recommendations of the 2016-01 report.

Project 2016-03

Membership engagement and retention by a method of communicating with the Lodges on the issue of declining membership and the opportunity to do something about it and a set of options for Lodges to use to address the issue of demits and suspensions.

Project 2016 -02 Production of Educational Video and Project 2016-04 Membership Exit Questionnaire have been tabled.

The Management Committee has reviewed the final reports of the Tactical Plans and they also found that all assignments were on time at the different stages; proposal, status reports and final reports.

Several of the tactical plans may be continued next year to allow for completion of the different steps outlined in this year's final report and they may be added to the tactical plans of 2017-18.

The members of the Management Committee have served with commitment and dedication to the Grand Master and Grand Lodge in all matters deemed to be in the best interest of and for the better administration of the Craft.

On behalf of: M.W. Bro. John C. Green Grand Master, M.W. Bro. Terence Shand Grand Secretary, R.W. Bro Thomas W. Hogeboom Grand Treasurer, R.W. Bros: Jim Sutherland, Barry Burchill, David Cameron, John Hay, Tom Siemiernik, Edward Standish.
Respectfully submitted.

PAUL E.TODD, Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CONSTITUTION AND JURISPRUDENCE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. F. Halpern, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. Halpern, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your committee has received FIVE (5) proposed amendments to the Constitution of Grand Lodge

The 1st proposal deals with Section 384(c)

(R.W. Bro. Alan Donovan)

Currently reads as follows:

384 (c) No jewels shall be worn in a lodge other than those specified for the officers, except the jewel of a Past Master, a representative of another Grand Lodge, a Royal Arch Mason Companion, a Scottish Rite Mason, a Lewis jewel, the Veteran Jubilee Medal, the Maple Leaf pin with the square and compasses, the Grand Master's Award for Distinguished Service, and any other jewel, button, or medal specifically designed and/or authorized by Grand Lodge, and any lodge insignia approved by the Grand Master.

The proposed amendment would read as follows:

Section 384(c) No jewels shall be worn in a lodge other than those specified for the officers, except for the jewel of a Past Master, a representative of another Grand Lodge, *a Royal Arch Mason Past Principal*, a Royal Arch Mason Companion, a Scottish Rite Mason, a Lewis jewel, the Veteran Jubilee Medal, the Maple Leaf pin with the square and compasses, the Grand Master's Award for Distinguished Service, and any other jewel, button, or medal specifically designed and/or authorized by Grand Lodge, and any lodge insignia approved by the Grand Master.

Your Committee finds this proposal: **IRREGULAR**

The 2nd proposed amendment deals with changes to Sections 199 to Section 202 Non-Payment of Dues (Condition of Masonry Committee)

Section 199 currently reads as follows:

A brother shall be considered in arrears of dues if he is default in payment of them as of the end of the current Masonic year of his lodge as stipulated in the by-laws of the lodge.

The proposed amended Section 199 would read as follows:

Section 199 Lodge dues are payable in advance. A brother shall be considered in arrears if he is default in payment of them, on the day following the due date of the current Masonic year as stipulated in the by-laws of the lodge.

Section 200 currently reads as follows; Section 200(a) A brother who neglects to pay his dues as required by the by-laws of his lodge may be suspended.

Proposed amended Section 200(a) to read:

Section 200(a) A brother who neglects to pay his dues as required by the by-laws of his lodge for twelve consecutive months shall be suspended

Section 200(b) currently reads as follows:

A lodge, however, may by open vote remit the dues of any brother, provided a notice of motion for remission has been given at the regular meeting immediately prior to that at which the vote is taken.

Proposed amended Section 200(b) to read:

A lodge, however, may by open vote remit the dues of any brother, provided a notice of motion for remission has been given at the regular meeting immediately prior to that at which the vote is taken and provided such vote is taken prior to the dues becoming twelve months in arrears

Section 200(c) currently reads as follow

The notice of motion must contain the amount of the dues to be remitted but need not contain the name of the brother whose dues are being remitted

Proposed amended Section 200(c) to read:

Section 200(c) The notice of motion must contain the amount of the dues to be remitted but shall not contain the name of the brother whose dues are being remitted.

A new subsection (d) to be added as follows:

Section 200(d) At the regular meeting of the lodge at which a brother's dues become twelve months in arrears the Secretary shall read his name and the Master shall forthwith declare him suspended for non-payment of dues. Such shall be duly recorded in the minutes of the lodge, notice of having been suspended for non-payment of dues shall be immediately sent to such brother, and the Secretary shall notify the District Deputy Grand Master and the Masonic Bureau, if a bureau exists, of such suspension. Where a Masonic bureau does not exist notice shall be given to the Secretaries of all lodges in the district.

Section 201 reads as follows:

201. A brother who neglects to pay his dues shall be dealt with by his lodge for such neglect in accordance with the provisions of the by-laws of the lodge and the Constitution of Grand Lodge

Proposed amended Section 201 to read:

201. A brother who neglects to pay his dues shall be dealt with by his lodge for such neglect in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution of Grand Lodge

Section 202(a), (b) & (c) reads as follows:

202. Where no provision has been made in the by-laws of the lodge for notice to and procedure against a brother for non-payment of dues, the following procedure shall be adopted:

(a) where the dues of any brother are in arrears, it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the lodge to read out, prior to the installation and investiture, the name of any brother in default of dues as of the day appointed for the installation and investiture, after which a special summons to appear at the next regular meeting of the lodge, to show just cause why he should not be suspended, together with a statement of the amount remaining

unpaid, shall be sent to such brother. The summons shall be deemed served, if mailed to the last known address of such brother at least nine days before the next regular meeting; and

(b) if any excuse be offered the lodge shall decide by a majority vote of the members present whether the same is sufficient or not; and

(c) where such brother shall not have paid the amount of the dues before the next regular meeting of the lodge, and no excuse having been offered as the lodge may deem sufficient, the Master shall forthwith declare such brother suspended for non-payment of dues. The Secretary shall notify the brother, the District Deputy Grand Master and the Masonic Bureau, if a bureau exists, of such suspension. Where a Masonic bureau does not exist notice shall be given to the Secretaries of all lodges in the district.

Proposer would delete current subsections 202(a) (b) (c)

Proposed amended Section 202 to read:

Section 202: At any time, and not later than ten months, a brother is in arrears of dues, the Secretary of the lodge shall send him notice thereof, including the amount owing, the date it was due, the date he will become twelve months in arrears, and a copy of Sections 199 to 203 of the Constitution. The notice shall be deemed served if mailed via surface delivery service to the last known address of such brother.

Your Committee finds this proposal: **REGULAR**

The 3rd proposed amendment deals with Section 382 (Management Committee)

Section 382 currently reads as follows:

No higher degree in Masonry shall be conferred on any brother at a shorter interval than four weeks from the date of receiving a previous degree, except under dispensation from the Grand Master

Proposed amended Section 382 to read:

Section 382 No higher degree in Masonry shall be conferred on any brother at a shorter interval than *four months* from the date of receiving a previous degree, except under dispensation from the Grand Master.

Your Committee finds this proposal: **REGULAR**

The 4th proposal adds a Sub-Section to Section 298 (R.W. Bro. J. Sutherland)

Section 298(f) Every lodge shall have and maintain in the lodge's name a minimum of \$1,000,000.00 Commercial General Liability coverage and \$1,000,000.00 Non Owned Automobile coverage.

Your Committee finds this proposal: **REGULAR**

The 5th proposed amendment deals with Section 386 (R.W. Bro. K. Jones)

Section 386 currently reads as follows

386. Except for the conferring of degrees in a Royal Arch Chapter, Craft lodge regalia shall not be worn at meetings of other bodies or organizations. Such prohibition shall not apply in instances of attendance of the Grand Master within the Province of Ontario at Grand Communications of such bodies as are in amity with Grand Lodge.

The proposed amended Section 386 to read as follows:

386. Except for the conferring of degrees in a Royal Arch Chapter, and for the brethren attending the meetings of the Masonic Youth Groups which are, the International Order of the Rainbow for Girls, the International Order of Job’s Daughter and the Order of DeMolay for Boys, Craft lodge regalia shall not be worn at meetings of other bodies or organizations. Such prohibition shall not apply in instances of attendance of the Grand Master within the Province of Ontario at Grand Communications of such bodies as are in amity with Grand Lodge.

Your Committee finds this proposal: **IRREGULAR**

All of which is submitted by on behalf of the committee.

FREDERICK HALPERN, Chairman

COMMITTEE OF SCRUTINEERS

The Grand Master appointed the firm, ClearNeed Information Systems Inc., V.W. Bro. George Benton, to serve as scrutineers this year.

GRAND SECRETARY'S REPORT

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

It is my privilege to present this annual report for the year ended December 31, 2016, containing a recapitulation and a summary of the entire long service lapel buttons awarded during the year.

MEMBERSHIP RECAPITULATION DECEMBER 31, 2016

Membership December 31, 2015	40,438
Initiated	+1,005
Passed.....	732
Raised.....	672
Affiliated.....	514
Reinstated.....	160
Sub Total.....	42,117
Deaths	-1,130
Resignations.....	-1100
Suspensions.....	-822
Adjustments re membership checks.....	-120
 NET changes in membership in year	 -1,503
 TOTAL MEMBERSHIP as of December 31, 2016.....	 38,935
 Total number of warranted lodges	 532

GENERAL INFORMATION

	<u>2015</u>	<u>2016</u>
Number of active memberships	40,438	38,935
Number of active members	37,429	36,261
Number of multiple membership holders	3,007	2,375
Number of commuted life memberships	5,277	4,926

BUTTONS AWARDED DURING 2016 CALENDAR YEAR

50's	282	50's Past Master	28
60's	148	60's Past Master	1
70's	23	50's P.D.D.G.M.....	1
75's	0		

70 Years a Mason

Edwin Haig Clark, Leeds Lodge No. 201, Gananoque	William Paul Bradley, Hazeldean Lodge No. 517, Kanata
Jack Aitken, Delaware Valley Lodge No. 358, Lambeth	Robert Charles Nelson, Hugh Murray Lodge No. 602, Hamilton
Albert Francis Ives, Leamington Lodge No. 290, Leamington	Edward F. Conover, Ionic Lodge No. 229, Brampton
James Duncan Ritchie, St. George's Lodge No. 42, London	Lawrence John Ryan, Plantagenet Lodge No. 186, Riceville
Alexander Forster, St. Andrew's Lodge No. 62, Caledonia	Kenneth Harry Parfitt, Ulster Lodge No. 537, Toronto
Richard W. Baynes, St. James Lodge No. 73, St. Mary's	William Ebert Hobbs, Acacia Lodge No. 561, Ottawa
Gerrold Vokes Grant, Colborne Lodge No. 91, Colborne	Jack Elton Pollock, Harmony Lodge No. 579, Windsor
Willard Hedley Price, Brant Lodge No. 663, Burlington	Arnold Clarence Pepper, Tecumseh Lodge No. 144, Stratford
Bryce Sharsel Skinner, Tudor Lodge No. 141, Mitchell	Robert Harold Dickson, Valley Lodge No. 100, Dundas
Cecil Elmer Hambly, Prince Edward Lodge No. 18, Picton	Andrew McKay Skilling, Gothic Lodge No. 608, Lindsay
George Alexander Morris, Zeta- Shamrock Lodge No. 410, Toronto	Thomas Boushill Kinnear, Hillcrest Lodge No. 594, Hamilton
Samuel Andrew Watson, Doric Lodge No. 455, Little Current	

60 Years a Past Master

Charles Elmer Stewart, Harmony Lodge No. 57, Binbrook

50 Years a Past District Deputy Grand Master

Harold Robert Butler, Algonquin Lodge No. 536, Sudbury

Warrants

Since the 2016 report; Moira Lodge No. 11, Belleville-Temple Lodge No. 123 and Eureka Lodge No. 283 have amalgamated to become Belleville Moira Lodge No. 11, St John's Lodge No. 104, Walsingham Lodge No. 174 and Frederick Lodge No. 217 have amalgamated to become Three Great Lights Lodge No. 104, Bonnechere Lodge No. 433, Todmorden Lodge No. 647 and Plattsville Lodge No. 178 have surrendered their charters.

Conferences

In February 2017, I attended 'The Conference of Grand Secretaries in North America,' held at Omaha, Nebraska. Several presentations and group discussions included: "Our peculiar system of Morality", "Where do we go from here? Masonic Leadership", "Masonic Education", "Masonic Relations, where do we stand?", "Digitizing records", "Electronic voting" and Rightsizing Lodges & Grand Lodges together with, panel discussions on Jurisdictional Recognition, Controversial Topics and Copies of the Secret Work on what Grand Lodges make available.

In April 2017, I accompanied our Deputy Grand Master to the "All Canada Conference" held at Winnipeg. Jurisdictional questionnaire reports; on specific issues, concerning their present office were presented by each Grand Master and our Deputy Grand Master. Reports were received on: the Western Canada Conference, World Conference, Conference of Grand Masters in North America, Conference of Grand Secretaries in N.A. and the Commission on Information for Recognition. The conference included group discussions on "Motorcycle Clubs", "Wiccans & Pagans", "Transgender & Gay persuasion relative to Masonic membership", "Is there a leadership void?", and "Can technology save Masonry?"

Semi Annual Returns

As of this writing, seven Semi-Annual Returns, due January 8, 2017, have not been received at the Grand Lodge office. Subsequently, the July 8th return forms have not been mailed, negating the three principal officers an opportunity to vote at this Communication. A reminder . . . Section 300, Book of Constitution states, "Each lodge shall mail or otherwise deliver to the Grand Secretary, its returns and payments to Grand Lodge, semi-annually, on or before the 8th day of January and the 8th day of July each year." Please consider this responsibility an important one, particularly when considered in relation to Section 152 (p) Constitution of Grand Lodge, adopted July 2009. It is essential that the replacement of the Lodge Secretary receive adequate information and training prior to assuming his arduous duties and not just left with several boxes of secretary data at his feet. Lodge Secretary Seminars are available to lodges, upon request of the District Deputy Grand Master.

Closing Remarks

On May 1st 2017, V.W. Bro. H. Evan Woodhead was employed by Grand Lodge in the office capacity of Chief Operating Officer. My personal thanks are extended to; Mrs. Gail Nickerson, Mrs. Stacey Birks, Mrs. Kathy White and Ms.

Jennifer Manzer, for their fine service in dealing with Grand Lodge office necessities.

We thank the great majority of lodge secretaries for the stellar service provided to their respective lodge and commend those of you who conscientiously submit the required data and information in a timely manner.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted.

TERENCE SHAND, Grand Secretary

On motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by the Grand Secretary, the Report was adopted by Grand Lodge.

REPORTS OF THE DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

Forty-two reports of the District Deputy Grand Masters were presented to the Deputy Grand Master and, on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by M.W. Bro. T. Shand they were referred to the Board of General Purposes.

REPORT OF THE DISCIPLINE COMMITTEE

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. D. E. Jacklin, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by R.W. Bro. D. E. Jacklin, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your committee is pleased to report that there were no Masonic Trials or appeals from verdicts of Masonic Trials.

One certificate of Severance pursuant to Section 401.1 of the Constitution was granted which stayed any discipline proceedings contemplated. This procedure continues to work well sparing both the lodge and the member expense and embarrassment.

Private, Piques and Quarrels continue to be a problem. As masons we should all remember the Apron Charge in the 1st Degree and govern ourselves accordingly.

One matter of a somewhat more serious note that the Chairman was asked to review and recommend courses of action involved inappropriate and offensive email communications by a Past Master concerning a number of members of his lodge.

The offending member was admonished by the Grand Master and a course of action to be followed to make amends was imposed effectively dealing with the matter.

Your Committee fully supports and endorses the actions taken by the Grand Master and the Grand Secretary in dealing with discipline matters this Masonic year.

There are a number of pending matters which will be dealt with in the coming year.

A committee has been struck to review what should constitute Masonic offences and recognize the realities of life in the 21st Century. What might have been perceived as an offence in the 1800's may no longer be considered as such today.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the committee.

DAVID E. JACKLIN, Chairman

REPORT OF THE GRAND CHAPLAIN

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. J. David Leggatt, Grand Chaplain

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I am most thankful to the Grand Master M.W. Bro. John C. Green for trusting me to this high position. It has been an honour to serve him and this Grand Lodge for the past masonic year.

I had a little advantage, in that I served as one of the Assistant Grand Chaplains the year before. At one of the Grand Master's receptions in the spring of that year the Grand Master approached me and asked if I would be willing to step up to the position of Grand Chaplain. I told him it would be an honour to hold this position.

After Closing Grand Communication in 2016 I took a trip to Newfoundland. I was invited to attend a lodge meeting in Twillingate Lodge number 9 in The Grand Lodge of Newfoundland and this became my first official visit. At that time I had no idea that the length of my cable tow would extend so far across this Grand Jurisdiction. From an amalgamation in Belleville to the East, a Grand Masters reception in Toronto (North York district) in the South to a Grand Master's reception in the North West in Kenora and many stops in between.

I have worked with several of the Assistant Grand Chaplains and District Chaplains over this past year on district divine services. They have all responded in an exemplary manner helping me out when I could not attend a function.

I have attended several funerals, a couple of anniversary's and also had the honour to be invited to a number of Grand Masters Receptions, where I have been invited to say the grace, sometimes in advance and sometimes at the event. I have travelled with R.W. Bro. James O. Wark the District Deputy of my home District of Bruce. We have attended not only his District Deputy nights but also a number outside of our district. I have also had the pleasure of attending a number of lodge meetings on my own both in and out of my district.

Because of my geographical location in the province I have travelled solo to most of these events. This has given me a great amount of time to think about and contemplate the workings of our wonderful craft. These events have also given me the chance to renew old acquaintances and make many new friends. As an only child by birth I never knew, until I joined masonry, that I had so many brothers in my extended family.

This past year has truly been a highlight in my Masonic career and one that I will never forget. I have seen that Masonry is alive and well throughout the province.

As I finish my year as Grand Chaplain I pray that God may truly bless our order as He has in the past. May we ever strive to follow his teachings and guiding's.

I would also be remiss if I did not thank the Grand Secretary M.W. Bro. Terence Shand for all his guidance when I was not sure of how to proceed in this office.

Respectfully submitted.

J. DAVID LEGGATT, Grand Chaplain

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE GRAND MASTER'S ADDRESS

On motion of the Deputy Grand Master, this Report was presented by M.W. Bro. T. Shand, on behalf of M.W. Bro. C. E. Drew.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

It is my privilege, on behalf of the Past Grand Masters, to present the report on the Grand Master's address.

We endorse the welcome extended to our members and invited quests and share in the hope that they will enjoy their time spent with us.

We are saddened by the passing of so many of our distinguished brethren who have laid down their working tools.

We support the proposal for Past Rank and Honorary Rank pursuant to Sec. 73. Our congratulations are extended to the William Mercer Wilson Medal and the Grand Master's Meritorious Service recipients, and the Honorary members of the Board who were appointed.

His attendance at many meetings of our concordant bodies in the Masonic family and the International Plowing Match helped to strengthen the ties which bind us.

The list of Anniversaries, Family events and Visitations is testimony to the commitment and dedication of our Grand Master, who was fully supported by First Lady Barb.

The Grand Master attended many functions outside our jurisdiction, and we are pleased at the ongoing efforts he has made to impact the knowledge which he has gained for the benefit of our jurisdiction.

The Prostate Hope project, begun by M.W. Bro. Campbell, then continued by the Grand Master will yield significant results and the great success of the Open House program will be a lasting legacy.

We are pleased to note that the Restructuring is continuing, and that a Chief Operating Officer is now in place. The possibility of District Restructuring is offered for consideration, as is the two-year term of DDGMs. The Committee feels that these should follow a membership study and, if adopted, be done in a coordinated fashion.

The Grand Master expresses his appreciation to the entire Grand Lodge team: The Deputy Grand Master, the Past Grand Masters, the Custodian of the Work, the Grand Secretary, the Grand Treasurer, the Board members, and the Grand Officers, the Grand D. of C's and the ladies on staff at Grand Lodge.

The Grand Master recognizes the support of his family, in particular his Lady Barb. Those of us who were his predecessors know full well how important that support can be.

Respectfully and fraternally submitted.

C. EDWIN DREW, Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

R.W. Bro. R. Manz Report and Reviews (See page 214)

CALLED OFF

Grand Lodge adjourned at 12.00 noon

ANNOUNCEMENTS REGARDING REPORTS

The following remaining Committees were adopted for printing as written.

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON MASONIC EDUCATION

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The Education Team is completing a very successful year. Our goal this year was to present educational material that we hoped would “Start a Conversation”. Our attempts to provide this opportunity have been done via the Education Monthly newsletter and the quarterly electronic version of the Reflections newsletter.

1. To the writing of this report the Education Team will have distributed seven Education Monthly newsletters. These publication issues have touched on numerous subjects:

- Provided awareness regarding the newly published Collected Works of M.W. Bro. Raymond S. J. Daniels.
- Highlighted some of the written work of the Grand Archivist, R.W. Bro. Daniel Glenney.
- Featured some Official Visit papers presented by R.W. Bro. Charles A. Sankey when he was DDGM in 1967 – 1968.
- St. Andrew’s Order of the Gardeners.
- The Lost History of Masons by the BBC.
- An article by Bro. Christopher Hodapp.
- Prince Hall Masonry and the Underground Railway.
- Change – are we keeping pace?
- Highlighted the work of the Grand Lodge Education & Training Committee’s five teams; Education, College of Freemasonry. Library Museum & Archives, Brock University Partnership and Book Sales,
- Just to name a few.

2. The Education Team has also produced three issues of the electronic Reflection newsletter, a publication that is “For Ontario Masons ... By Ontario Masons”. The team has worked diligently to present articles and papers that are written by newer Masons, as well as Veteran Masons and in some instances this has resulted in a different perspective on the same subject. Again, the goal has been to “Start a Conversation”.

These Reflections publication issues have presented papers on subjects such as:

- Let There Be Light and Adjusting to the Light – a veteran Mason and new Mason perspective.
- Masonic Sword as a Ritual Object.
- The Three Legged Stool – talks about leadership and making an organization great.
- Marks That Distinguish Us.
- The Landmarks of Freemasonry,
- Just to name a few.

3. Tactical Plan Project 2016-01 Privacy Policy

This tactical plan work is actually Phase 2 which follows on the recommendations from the Phase 1 of 2015, which were approved by the Management

Committee and the membership last July 2016. This project was assigned to the Communications Committee chaired by R.W. Bro. Tom Siemiernik, with R.W. Bro. Peter Harbert as Project Leader and assisted by R.W. Bro. Iain Wates. The project team provides the following overview of the various components of the Privacy Policy and looks forward to having it approved so that Phase 3 – Implementation may be executed in the coming year.

- “Draft” Protecting Personal Information Strategy – Policy & Standards.
- “Draft” Privacy Policy brochure that provides an overview of the much broader policy.
- “Draft” Protecting Personal Information Strategy Frequently Asked Questions.
- All of this privacy policy content was internally reviewed by R.W. Bro. David Jacklin and the Discipline Team.
- The establishment of a Privacy Officer has been completed.
- “Draft” Complaint Processing Bylaws have been created to assist in guiding the Privacy Officer through the complaint process.
- The proper handling of personal information is exceedingly important to any organization and our Grand Lodge is making this a high priority moving forward. Because personal information is handled at all governance levels within the Fraternity, it is very important that everyone is conversant with all facets of the policy. In an effort to ensure that this is so, a Competency Evaluation will be required for all those that are responsible for handling personal information.
- “Draft” Competency Quiz is short in nature, but it will be an indicator of the level of knowledge the individual person has of the policy. The quiz will be taken on-line via the Grand Lodge website and all testing to date has been successfully completed.
- A Grand Lodge specific e-mail address, which provides access to the Privacy Officer, shall be created and distributed to the membership at large.
- Numerous recommendations have been presented in the Tactical Plan Project Close-Out Report and they will be an integral part of the implementation process.

Respectfully submitted.

IAIN D. WATES, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE MUSEUM and ARCHIVES COMMITTEE

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I am pleased to provide this report to highlight the projects from Museum and Archives in 2016-2017, as well as outline proposed projects for 2017-2018. It is noted that most of the projects for Museum and Archives carry over from one year to the next due to the preparation and research time required.

Grand Masters Graves Commemoration:

The project continues as one of the primary areas of focus. The graves of 3 deceased Grand Masters were located and visited in summer 2016 in Barrie Cemetery.

- Past Grand Masters since 1855: 76 (January, 2017)
- Deceased Grand Masters: 67
- Graves visited, exact location confirmed by volunteer : 36
- Graves photographed, digital image with Grand Archivist: 25

- General area of graves known, but exact coordinates to be confirmed: 31
- Arrangements are being made to concentrate on the graves in the Toronto-Hamilton area, as these are the most outstanding.

Sankey Lecture:

1. Support was given to Brock University to obtain digital images and other representations of significant Masonic aprons from Ontario for the 2017 Sankey lecture introduction.
2. This information has good potential for inclusion in the Grand Lodge Museum and Archives web site in 2017-2018.

Archives Guidelines:

- Document was begun in 2016 as a set of guidelines, (not policy), to assist Lodges in the archiving and preservation of their Lodge records.
- This work continues into 2017-2018.

Grand Lodge Museum and Archives Web Site:

- Preparation of materials for eventual inclusion on web site continues. An article on the Masonic career of Mohawk Chief, W. Bro. Joseph Brant was completed, with other articles in the works. An essay on Bro. Gat Howard and the Riel Rebellion was submitted earlier this year for review under Grand Lodge publishing policies, and is incorporated on the web site as a prototype project.
- Work on upgrading the web site continues in 2017-2018.

Coat of Arms Grand Lodge:

- Grand Archivist prepared a submission on the Grand Lodge coat of arms. The recommendation is to continue to use the existing coat of arms, and not to request a review from the Chief Herald at Rideau Hall. We currently await further direction/decision on this matter.
- Notwithstanding the final decision it is recommended that this file remains a project in 2017-2018, to ensure the research materials are ultimately prepared in a proper format for the Grand Lodge Museum and Archives web site.

Grand Lodge Artifacts and Archives Collection:

- The project to review the Grand Lodge Artifact and Archives collection in Hamilton in terms of content, condition, display, storage and restoration potential did not proceed in 2016-2017 due to other priorities.
- It is proposed that the project will get under way in 2017-2018.

Grand Lodge Museum and Archives Web Site:

- As noted above, great potential for 2017-2018. Materials in preparation include Military Masons, Cornerstones, Masonic History, Archives-Museum Management.

Support to General Public, Individual Lodges:

- Support to Lodges and interested individuals in the Grand Jurisdiction continued to be delivered in terms of Masonic history, and archival/museum conservation advice. This service has been provided for several past years.
- It is recommended that this service continue as it gives Grand Lodge an excellent profile within the Masonic and non Masonic community.

Respectfully submitted.

DANIEL J. GLENNEY, Grand Archivist

REPORT OF THE LIBRARY TEAM

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & AM. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

This year the Grand Lodge Library had another active year under the supervision of R.W. Bro. Lanny Salmon, Grand Lodge Library Assistant and Manager. He was supported by

the guidance of R.W. Bro. James Ford, Grand Librarian, and aided by a number of very dedicated Library Volunteers.

The day to day activities include having the Library open for individuals to come in and use the Library facilities for reading or research purposes. As this activity is generally more convenient for those in Hamilton and the surrounding area, a small number of visitors do come in and use the Library for this purpose.

The Library is more widely used by those who contact the Library by phone or email and make arrangements to have Masonic Reading material sent out by mail using a normal Library Loan system. This year a number of publications were provided to interested Masons and others in this way.

An ongoing project that the Library has worked on in the past is the rebinding of rare Masonic Books that are in need of repair to preserve their contents and keep them viable for many years to come. A small number of books were rebound this year and plans continue to complete this project over the next couple of years.

In the coming year plans are being formulated to embark on a Promotion campaign to enhance the awareness and usage of the Library contents and services.

Appreciation is extended to R.W. Bro. James Ford, Grand Librarian, for his expertise and guidance and to the Library volunteers who spent their time manning the Library during its hours of operation.

On behalf of the late R.W. Bro. Charles H. Reid, who served for a good number of years as Chairman, who put his heart and soul into dedicating his time and talents for the continued enhancement and viability of the Grand Lodge Library. His sincerity and dedication will long be remembered.

Respectfully submitted.

LANNY SALMON, Library Manager

REPORT OF THE BOOK SALES TEAM

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & AM. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Received on consignment from Grand Lodge: 16 Grand Lodge publications for sale at the District Deputy Grand Master Orientation sessions held in fall 2016 and spring 2017. There were four sessions held in the fall 2016 of which I attended 3; five sessions in the spring 2017 of which I attended 3.

SALES ANALYSIS

Fall Sessions - 2016

	Area	Number of Titles Sold	Total Sale
\$			
1)	Paris	8	198.00
2)	Harriston	9	248.00
3)	Ridgetown	Not available	
4)	Oshawa	10	180.00

Spring Sessions - 2017

1)	Brockville	6	134.00
2)	Barrie	7	67.00
3)	Sturgeon Falls	13	212.00
4)	Guelph	Not available	
5)	Toronto	- Scheduled for May 6, 2017	
Total Sales as April 20 2017			\$1039.00

NON-GRAND LODGE PUBLICATIONS

A confirmed order was placed with Books Galore for 25 publications in April 2017 which will be available for sale at Grand Lodge Communication 2017. Any unsold titles will be made available at Grand Lodge.

GENERAL

As customary an area will be established at Grand Lodge Communication 2017 to display both Grand Lodge and Non-Grand Lodge Publications. The display table will be staffed by two brethren on Tuesday and Wednesday from 8:00 am to 4:30 pm on Tuesday and 8:00 am to 3:00 pm on Wednesday.

Efforts were made to attend and display Grand Lodge publications at a number of Committee events/workshops, however logistics based on travel distance, dates and time were not practical, hence efforts were made to attend DDGM Orientation sessions when possible.

Total Sessions scheduled	9
Sessions Attended	6
Sessions pending	1 (Toronto – May 6, 2017)
Districts Covered	35 (Sessions attended)
Distance Travelled	1196 Km
Number of Titles sold	53
Total Sales to date	\$1,039.00
Total Books on Consignment	\$4,492.00

Based on the analysis or data compiled above having an independent sale of books at most events is not feasible or realistic based on the following;

- a) Brethren participating have copies of all (or most of them) publications.
- b) Low attendance of Brethren.
- c) Cost of traveling exceeds the value of sale of books.
- d) The availability of a number of issues on Grand Lodge web site reduces further need of copies.

RECOMMENDATIONS

I submit the following for consideration and potential implementation.

- a) Each Grand Lodge Committee designate a committee member as a book salesman.
- b) District Deputy Grand Masters establish a Librarian Chairman.
- c) District Librarian Chairman secure a number of publications on consignment through Grand Lodge Team Leader.
- d) District Librarian submits a quarterly report on sales activity to Grand Lodge Book Sales Team Leader.
- e) Grand Lodge Book Sales Team Leader co-ordinate delivery and acceptance of publications with District Librarian.
- f) Grand Lodge Book Sales Team Leader report to Education Committee Chairman.
- g) Designated committee member co-ordinate delivery and acceptance of publications with Grand Lodge Book Sales Team Leader.

- h) Guidelines and procedures to be established for District Librarians and members responsible for the sale of books.

CONCLUSION

Prior to the above acceptance serious consideration should be given to the anticipated sale volume for Grand Lodge publications in light of access to today’s technology.

Prior to closing I express my gratitude and appreciation to the staff at Grand Lodge for their continued support and assistance. Also take this opportunity to thank the Education Chairman for his guidance and support, and the DDGM Orientation Committee as well.

Respectfully submitted.

GEORGE WARNER, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE COLLEGE OF FREEMASONRY TEAM

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F.& AM. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

This past year has once again been very busy for the College of Freemasonry. I start this report with milestones of the College students.

The first is a list of those graduates who, through their hard work and perseverance, have completed their advancement in Masonic Education by completing the Masonic Arts & Sciences course and have earned the appellation “FCF”. Congratulations to each of you! I hope you each share your knowledge with the brethren you sit in lodge with.

Name	District	Lodge	Name	District	Lodge
Brent Cotton	Prince Edward	Moirs Lodge No. 11	Bertrand Coulombe	Prince Edward	United Lodge No. 96
Richard Douglass	St. Lawrence	Merrickville Lodge No. 55	Kelly Feldcamp	Waterloo	Preston Lodge No. 297
James Jack	Toronto West	West Gate Lodge No. 734	Wayne Lalonde	Prince Edward	United Lodge No. 29
James Leadbetter	St. Thomas	St. Mark's Lodge No. 94	Bernard MacLean	Frotenac	Simpson Lodge No. 147
Bruce Miller	Waterloo	Flower City Lodge No. 509	Mark Molnar	Niagara A	Perfection Lodge No. 616
Andrew Norwood	Toronto West	Lakeshore Lodge No. 645	Garry Perkins	Georgian South	Corinthian Lodge No. 96
Douglas Shaw	Georgian North	Equity Lodge No. 659	Donald Strickland	London East	Moffat Lodge No. 399
Christopher Warden	Hamilton B	Union Lodge No. 7	Ryan Vandenberg	Hamilton A	Burlington Lodge No. 165
Jeffrey Nailor	Toronto West	Ionic Lodge No. 229			

The College continues to stay busy with fulfilling the demands of the jurisdiction through stable enrollment and graduates as shown below.

	New Registrants	New Graduates
Masonic Arts and Sciences Course	49	17
Past Master's Course	73	56
Worshipful Master's Course	22	7
	144	80

The College wishes to thank and show its appreciation to the following 35 brethren for mentoring the many brethren/students by evaluating those assignments passed to them for their guidance. These brethren have graded 718 assignments in the past year.

Garnet Schenk FCF	Adam Thompson FCF	Robert Ducharme
Rick Cadotte FCF	Don Kemball FCF	Keith Stiles FCF
George Warner FCF	Kevin Smith	Greg Durst FCF
Godfrey Golding FCF	Bob Croft FCF	Bryce Graham FCF
David Quinn	Keith Buchanan FCF	Fred Hoffner FCF
David Fraser	Waldo Redekop	Ray Iles FCF
Jack Ledger	Elliot Zovighian	Bob Wood FCF
Bill Lewis FCF	Alvin Gillies	Mike Locke FCF
Ken Pierce	Louis Domjan	Mike Kirk FCF
Peter Harbert	John Johnston FCF	Wayne Anderson FCF
Andrew Douris FCF	Sam Khoury	Garry Perkins FCF
Mark Kapitan FCF	Ron Duncan FCF	

We also wish to announce the recent retirement of V.W. Bro. Doug Gray from mentoring after serving 14½ years in this role. His attention to detail and his passion for our Craft was shared with the many brethren he mentored. Thank you, Bro. Gray.

This year the College team put their heads together and created a Procedures Manual for the daily work completed by all team members. This was a rude awakening as to what we actually do and we can now account for where all that missing time goes each day.

I wish to thank the administrative team of the College of Freemasonry for the running of the day-to-day operations: R.W. Bro. Rick Cadotte, FCF, - Administrator, Bro. Mark Kapitan, FCF – Assistant Administrator, R.W. Bro. George Warner, FCF – Treasurer.

Respectfully submitted.

DAVID ARMSTRONG, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE BROCK UNIVERSITY PARTNERSHIP TEAM

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & AM. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

This year the Committee focused on the following parts of its mandate:

- In partnership with Brock University, encourage research into the significant impact fraternalism in general and Freemasonry in particular have made on society here in Canada and throughout the world;
- To assist Brock University with the series of annual lectures by world renowned and local Masonic scholars, with options for periodic multi-day conferences;

The eighth lecture in the Charles A. Sankey Lecture Series took place on Sunday, March 26, 2017. A very successful lecture was given by Dr. Aimee E. Newell, Executive Director, Luzerne County Historical Society, Wilkes-Barre Pennsylvania and previously the Director of Collections, Scottish Rite Masonic Museum & Library, Lexington Massachusetts on *The Badge of a Freemason; New Stories from Old Aprons*. The talk highlighted many examples of American aprons from the Scottish Rite Masonic Museum & Library collection, exploring the stories of their makers and users. By looking at these early aprons, we find patterns and trends in their use and design that not only differ from today, but teach us new things about Freemasonry of the past. Dr. Renée Lafferty-Salhany, Associate Professor, Department of History, Brock University was the Master of Ceremonies for the Lecture. The lecture was very well attended this year with nearly 400 in attendance.

Dr. Lafferty-Salhany provided an excellent summary of the new 3rd year history course that she is running this term on Fraternalism and the Freemasons. Part of this course involves the use of the Masonic archives at the James A. Gibson Library at Brock. Many of the students enrolled in the course attended the lecture.

Following the lecture there was a reception with the opportunity to meet Dr. Newell and copies of her book *The Badge of a Freemason: Masonic Aprons from the Scottish Rite Masonic Museum & Library* as well as copies of the *Collected Works of M.W. Bro. Raymond S. J. Daniels* were available for purchase.

Tickets to the event were free but had to be reserved in advance and were available online at www.sankeylectures.ca. We once again used the Eventbrite site for the ticket reservations. Information about the lecture had been posted on both the Grand Lodge website and the Sankey Lecture website. Information was disseminated via the email service provided by R.W. Bro. Peter J. Sialtsis as part of the Grand Lodge Communications Committee. In addition we have made use of the Sankey Lecture email list which has over 300 subscribers. With the assistance of Dr. Driedger, W. Bro. Gord Bouchard and W. Bro. Milan Cobanov, Facebook and Twitter were also used to help promote the event. A summary of the social media aspect of the lecture can be found at https://storify.com/Mike_Driedger/sankey-lecture-2017.

The Committee is indebted to Dr. Renée Lafferty-Salhany, Associate Professor and Dr. Michael Driedger, Associate Professor, all from the Department of History for their time and effort in making the 2017 lecture such a success.

Sankey Lecture Website (www.sankeylectures.ca): There is a twofold purpose to the site: to provide information about current lectures, as well as an archive of previous lectures. The video of the eighth lecture given by Dr. Newell was made available on the website in May 2017. The video was accompanied by a number of photos taken at the event.

The Committee has also started to plan for the 2018 Sankey Lecture.

The Committee also acknowledges the support and input of R.W. Bro. John Hay to our deliberations.

Sankey Lecture In Review

On Saturday, March 26th, 2017 the eighth Sankey Lecture was held at Brock University in St. Catharines. Attendance was very good with close to 400 in the lecture theatre, including a good number of Brock students attending. Following the lecture many positive comments were received.

The day commenced with emcee, Dr. Renée Lafferty-Salhany a previous Sankey Lecturer, speaking briefly about the new third year history course that she is offering this year, entitled *Fraternalism and Freemasonry*. Many of the students enrolled in the course were in attendance for the lecture.

Dr. Aimee E. Newell spoke on *The Badge of a Freemason: New Stories from Old Aprons*. Called the “badge of a Freemason” in Masonic ritual, the fraternity’s apron was adapted from the protective aprons worn by working stonemasons during the 1600s and 1700s. Dr. Newell’s lecture was followed by a very good question and answer period. Copies of Dr. Newell’s book, *The Badge of a Freemason: Masonic Aprons from the Scottish Rite Masonic Museum & Library* were available for sale following the lecture.

Many thanks go to Team members who participated in conference calls and assisted with the planning of the day, the Brock History Department who put on another successful Lecture, and to the many Masons who attended this year to support this educational endeavour.

Respectfully submitted.

GARETH TAYLOR, Team Leader

In summary I would like to express sincere appreciation to all of the Team Leaders for the fine manner in which they have supported the new Committee Structure this year. As with

any change, there are always a few kinks to be worked on but thanks to their dedication and willingness to make it work, there have been many successes this year and much has been accomplished. On their behalf, we all recognize the great contributions given to this Committee as Team Leader of Library, Museum and Archives, by R.W. Bro. Charles H. Reid, our friend, colleague and brother, who passed to the Grand Lodge Above in March. His many years of service to Masonry and Grand Lodge in so many capacities is a monument to the man that he was. His love and dedication to the Craft, his guidance and leadership as a mentor to many in the Craft today will long be remembered.

Respectfully submitted.

JOHN HAY, Chairman

REPORTS FROM THE CRAFT STEWARDSHIP COMMITTEE

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON STRATEGIC PLANNING

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

In the past year the Strategic Planning Committee (SPC) has focused on the current and future Tactical Plans and Key Performance Indicators.

MONITORING AND REPORTING ON THE 2016 - 2017 ANNUAL TACTICAL PLAN

The SPC is pleased to report that significant progress has been made on four Tactical Plan Projects this year.

Project 2015-02 (Five Year Marketing Plan) continues to be led by R.W. Bro. Ron Findlater. This project initially set out to establish a marketing plan suitable for Craft Masonry, working within the landmarks of our order. This phase of the project was completed in 2015/16. In order to track the on-going execution of that plan, this project will remain on the project list through 2020. Information regarding this initiative can be found in the report of the Public Awareness Committee.

Project 2015-03 (Unified Resource for Candidates) began under the leadership of R.W. Bro. David Cameron in 2015/16 and good progress was made in that year, primarily with regard to information for the Entered Apprentice Mason. Work continued this year under the leadership of R.W. Bro. Leyland Muss who has extended the development of this research to the Fellowcraft and Master Mason degrees. More information on this project can be found in the report of the Brother to Brother Committee.

Project 2016-01 (Privacy Policy Delivery) is the next step in a comprehensive Privacy Policy for our Grand Lodge. The initial policy document was created under the leadership of R.W. Bro. Iain Wates in 2015/16 and the implementation of that policy has been led by R.W. Bro. Peter Harbert. More information on this project can be found in the report of the Education Committee.

Project 2016-03 (Membership Engagement and Retention) has been led by R.W. Bro. Barry Burchill with the support of many members in the Ottawa districts. Work on this project has taken a different approach to the issues of membership retention and more information can be found in report(s) under the heading of the Lodge Resources Committee.

Project 2016-02 (Production of Educational Videos) was put on hold and will be reviewed after the completion of project 2015-03 to ensure that any work done in this area is consistent with the newest publications of Grand Lodge.

Project 2016-04 (Membership Exit Questionnaire) was not pursued after an initial review by the Committee on the Condition of Masonry.

CREATION OF THE 2017 - 2018 ANNUAL TACTICAL PLAN

Input for the next Annual Tactical Plan was solicited from Members of the Board of General Purposes as well as taken from past survey results, Condition of Masonry reports, Fraternal Correspondence reviews, and the 2016 - 2017 Tactical Plan. A list of potential new projects is being developed and will be evaluated and prioritized resulting in the 2017 - 2018 list of projects.

KEY PERFORMANCE INDICATORS

As we have done for the past several years, a review of Key Metrics was completed to track trends and provide projections. The table below shows the last ten years of actual membership data (2006 to 2015). Data for the years 2016 to 2020 are projections.

Year	Initiated	Passed	Raised	Joined	Restored	Resigned	Deaths	Suspensions	Adjustments	Membership @ End of Year
2006	1,380	979	843	376	106	962	1,590	679	-7	53,475
2007	1,273	960	907	503	139	936	1,585	709	8	52,152
2008	1,363	976	855	527	143	959	1,568	788	68	50,802
2009	1,337	981	897	372	157	947	1,478	792	62	49,389
2010	1,579	1,127	917	388	125	813	1,279	766	291	48,332
2011	1,446	1,003	940	438	142	963	1,372	846	140	47,037
2012	1,366	969	893	407	121	1,098	1,316	849	116	45,552
2013	1,198	891	872	479	143	1,225	1,302	881	125	43,839
2014	1,046	730	706	430	132	1,053	1,279	774	182	42,159
2015	1,080	727	680	494	118	1,095	1,202	895	221	40,438
2016	1,126	779	751	457	132	1,135	1,168	907	121	38,822
2017	1,097	755	735	461	132	1,162	1,132	929	121	37,168
2018	1,070	731	719	464	132	1,189	1,096	952	121	35,476
2019	1,042	709	704	468	131	1,217	1,062	975	121	33,742
2020	1,016	687	687	471	131	1,246	1,029	999	121	31,965

The information derived from measuring candidate progression through their degrees remains relatively unchanged. Over the past five year the rate of progression from Entered Apprentice to Fellowcraft has averaged 70.4%. Based on recent trends, this is projected to decrease to 67.6% by 2020. Virtually all members who progress to the Fellow Craft degree continue to become Master Masons.

With regard to overall membership, in the next five years we project that those inputs which increase and decrease membership will remain reasonably consistent, however, the sum of resignations, deaths and suspensions will continue to outpace initiations, affiliations and restorations 2:1. The result will be a steady decline in membership and as our total membership declines the rate of change, expressed as a percentage, will continue to increase. In 2015 our net membership decrease was 4.1%. By 2020 our net decrease is projected to be 5.27%.

Respectfully submitted.

STEVEN E. WARREN, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE D.D.G.M. ORIENTATION COMMITTEE

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I am truly privileged to present this report on behalf of the DDGM Orientation Team which consists of: R.W. Bro. Jamie Ireland, Team Leader, R.W. Bro. J. Paul Johnson, Secretary, R.W. Bro. Hugh Fleming, and R.W. Bro. Jim Smith. Also, I would like to mention and thank R.W. Bros. Brian Simpson and Steven Durham for their dedication and assistance with the DDGM Orientation Sessions.

The DDGM Orientation Team held a total of 9 Sessions which were at Harriston, Paris, Ridgetown, Oshawa, Brockville, Barrie, Sturgeon Falls, Guelph and Toronto. The Vaughan Session, from the previous masonic year, was moved to Barrie and the Toronto Session was added to the schedule to better accommodate those Districts from the Greater Toronto Area. Each host Lodge received a \$75.00 donation for welcoming our Team into their building and providing refreshments and a light lunch to the attending brethren. We certainly appreciate those Lodges support and are honoured to be in their company.

There were 150 brethren that attended the DDGM Orientation Sessions. They are aspiring to be future DDGM's and District Secretaries and we would like to thank them all for their support and dedication to gaining the extra knowledge that we know will help them achieve their masonic goals and aspirations. Also, many current DDGM's and District Secretaries attended the Sessions and added their own personal comments and experiences. Their continued involvement makes their respective Districts stronger and our Sessions more relevant to that part of the Jurisdiction.

The material that the Team presents to the aspirants is constantly reviewed and updated. We want to make sure that the latest information from the most up to date Grand Lodge Publications is relevant and conveyed to the brethren. Our PPT presentation is constantly revised and is treated as a living document, ever changing to meet the needs of today's aspirants.

Our Team would like to thank R.W. Bro. George Warner, the Team Leader of Grand Lodge Book Sales, for travelling to all the DDGM Orientation Sessions and making the various Grand Lodge Publications available for the attending aspirants to purchase. Job well done George, you made our Sessions easier to conduct and made the books more accessible to the brethren. The Team Leader for the Condition of Masonry, R.W. Bro. Richard Kaufman, made his team members available at our Sessions to better explain the "L" forms and how the required information is collected and analyzed. Also, a member of the CoM team, R.W. Bro. James Sercombe, made "talking notes" available for our use, which allows the CoM information to be better discussed and uniformly explained. This continuity of information is appreciated by all the presenters. Thank you all for your help.

In conclusion, the DDGM Orientation Team is doing an exceptional job presenting and promoting the important information that the DDGM and District Secretary aspirants need to enable them to better conduct their duties, once they receive that high office. I

would like to congratulate the entire Team on their fine work, their desire to instill confidence in the aspirants and their dedication to bringing excellence to the DDGM Orientation Team.

Respectfully submitted.

JAMIE IRELAND, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON THE CONDITION OF MASONRY

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I am pleased to present the report from the Committee on the Condition of Masonry to this One Hundred and Sixty-Second Annual Communication of Grand Lodge. It has been my distinct pleasure and honour to lead this Committee of dedicated, knowledgeable and experienced masons. The constitutional mandate of the Committee is to, “examine the reports of the District Deputy Grand Masters and to study the condition of Masonry in General and make recommendations arising there from for the benefit of the Craft”¹. Herein is the report and recommendations derived from our examination of the reports of the forty-two District Deputy Grand Masters and our study of freemasonry in general.

Condition of Masonry – General

As Chairman of the Committee on the Condition of Masonry I am pleased to report that I have received all reports in accordance with Section 104 (b) of the Book of Constitution from the forty-two District Deputy Grand Masters.

Reports to the Committee on the Condition of Masonry are to be submitted within 14 days following the Official Visit², 96% of the reports are received within the prescribed timeline. The Committee wishes to express their thanks to the District Deputy Grand Masters (95%), District Secretaries (96%), Worshipful Masters, Lodge Secretaries (98%) and Treasurers (96%) for their efforts in completing and submitting the “L Forms” to the Committee in a timely fashion. We also wish to acknowledge the following Districts for achieving 100% on-time submission of all reports; Algoma East, Bruce, Chatham, Eastern, Essex County, Frontenac, Georgian North, Hamilton A, Hamilton B, Hamilton C, London East, Niagara A, Niagara B, Nipissing Muskoka, Ottawa 1, St. Thomas, Toronto, Humber Valley, Toronto West, Victoria, Wellington and Western.

The following Districts receive Honourable Mention as there were only one or two tardy submissions from the following Districts; Algoma, London West, North Huron, Ontario, Ottawa 2, St. Lawrence, Sudbury-Manitoulin, Temiskaming, Toronto East, Waterloo and Wilson North, congratulations to all!

CoM Lodge Report

This year the Committee introduced the “CoM Lodge Report”. This report is a summary of the findings of the Committee based on the information provided in the four “L” Forms submitted for review from each lodge. This report endeavours to provide feedback to the lodge in the key and vital areas of operations of a lodge. These include; Membership, Finances, Ritual, Fellowship/Social Intercourse, Masonic Education, Officer Progression, Family Activities and Community Awareness and Involvement.

The purpose of the report is to encourage continuous improvement within our lodges by identifying areas for possible improvement. The Committee’s correspondence includes

¹ Sec. 136(c) Book of Constitution

² Sec. 104 (b) Book of Constitution

contact information for those Grand Lodge Committees that maybe of most benefit to the lodge.

As this is the augural year for the CoM Lodge report the Committee will use the data collected to establish a baseline for our jurisdiction against which future results can compared. The Committee is also revising and updating next year’s reports based on the feedback and results of this year.

Overall, the introduction of the CoM Lodge Report has been well received. Some lodges have sought further clarification of the Committee’s findings, which have been promptly provided. If, the receipt of the COM Lodge Report causes self-evaluation on the part of the lodge, the report has accomplished its primary goal – to encourage continuous improvement of our lodges.

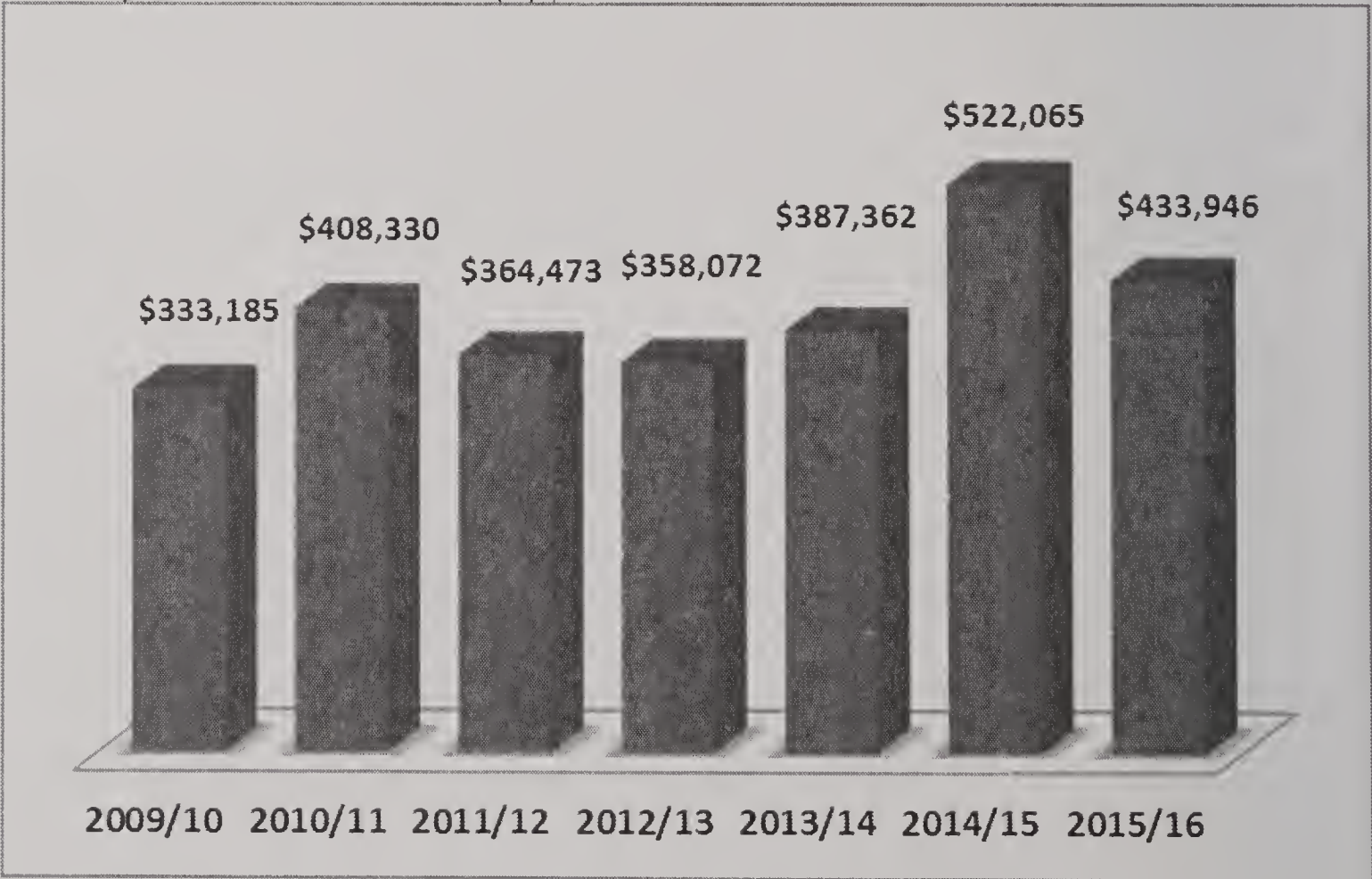
This year 52% of our lodges received an overall “Green” rating from the Committee, which indicates that they meet or exceed the expectations in their quest to *ensure the timeless vitality of Freemasonry in Ontario*. This represents an 8% improvement over last years 46%. As the result of the review process, the Committee rated 5% of our lodges “Red”. This rating indicates the need for immediate remedial action. The balance of the lodges, 43% received an overall “Yellow” rating. This rating identifies that there are some areas of concern and/or areas that need improvement. This year’s results will serve as a benchmark as we move forward. It is our hope that all lodges in our jurisdiction become the best lodge that they can be!

Constitutional Amendment

This year there is a proposed constitutional amendment to automatically suspend any brother who neglects to pay his dues as required by the by-laws of his lodge for twelve consecutive months. This amendment does not in any way limit or prevent the lodge from remitting the Brother’s dues for reasons of benevolence or unforeseen circumstances of distress.

This motion is being proposed due to the number of Brethren that are in arrears and the financial impact the non-payment of dues has on our lodges and Grand Lodge. As of April 17th, 2017 the amount of dues owed to lodges as reported to the Committee stands at - \$ 450,686. (470 of 534 Lodges reporting – 88%)

The chart below illustrates the total amount of dues twelve (12) months in arrears reported over the last seven (7) years.



The predicted impact to the overall membership numbers is the suspension of 2000 – 2100 members, based on the statistics reported to the Committee. (Low 1630 – High 2730) The corresponding financial impact to Grand Lodge is a reduction of \$40,000 - \$42,000 of revenue from per capita fees collected from lodges. The adaption and implementation of the amendment will resolve this ongoing concern of the Committee on the Condition of Masonry dating back several decades.

Cornerstone Project - Effectiveness

The Cornerstone Project was introduced approximately seven years ago. The primary purpose of the Cornerstone Project “is to encourage and recognize lodges that plan, implement and manage a well-rounded yearly lodge program that promotes lodge activities, brotherhood, charitable work and involvement in the community”.³ We are reminded, “the Cornerstone Project is not a stand-alone initiative, but rather a program that should be used in conjunction with other Lodge Resources Programs of Grand Lodge as each is designed to build upon one another to achieve the overall success and a sustainable future for the lodge”.⁴

The Committee wanted to investigate the relationships between participation in the Cornerstone Project and various key lodge success markers measured by the CoM Lodge Report. The Committee provided relevant data to Bro. Derrick Grey. *P. Stat* for analysis. He concludes, “A lodge is about 1.8 times more likely to be a cornerstone participant if the lodge is deemed to be successful rather than if deemed struggling or in trouble”⁵

The report further concludes that there is a statistically significant difference in the DDGM’s assessment of the lodge’s ritual in lodges participating in the Cornerstone Project. And, lodges that participate in the Cornerstone Project are more likely to have increasing memberships and less likely to have decreasing memberships.⁶

The number of lodges designated as Cornerstone Lodges are as follows⁷:

2016 – 61 – 11%

2015 – 32 – 6% - with 9 lodges designated as “Repeat” Designation

2014 – 60 – 11% - with 39 lodges designated as “Repeat” Designation

2013 – 19 – 3.5%

2012 – 62 – 11%

Given the relatively low percentage of lodges participating in a program that has proven positive results, our Grand Lodge should be taking definitive action to encourage all lodges, but more specifically struggling lodges to actively participate in the Cornerstone Project.

The Committee extends its sincere thanks and appreciation to Bro. Grey for his contribution to this report.

Condition of Masonry – General Statistics⁸

The Committee is pleased to provide the following statistics to paint a general picture of the lodges in our jurisdiction.

Lodge Statistics

Average Lodge Membership – **75** - (L1-B6)

Dues Paying – **66**

³ Cornerstone Manual p. 4

⁴ Ibid

⁵ STATISTICAL CONSULTING REPORT – Sec. 4.1 Summary of Results

⁶ Ibid

⁷ As reported on the Grand Lodge Web Site

⁸ Statistics in this report are as of April 17th, 2017

Life Members – 9

Average Resident Dues - \$ 183.00

Average Member Attendance – 17 members or 22.7% of the lodge

Average Number of Visitors (Regular Meetings) – 6 (L1-B7)

Applications Received for Initiation – (L1-B4)

0 – 24%

1-2 – 39%

3-5 – 29%

>6 – 8%

45% of lodges reported an operating deficit in the current masonic year (L4-D1)

50% of lodges reporting deficits, report reoccurring deficits of more than 2 years (L4-D1a)

60% of lodges prepare a written budget (L4-F2)

11% (54/477) of lodges did not report conferring any degrees

50% of lodges report using some form of social media to communicate with members (L1-F2)

21% of lodges report having a written long range plan (L1-J2)

9.6% (46/477) Lodges have requested assistance from the Financial Advisory Committee (L4-G1)

89% of our Lodges consider themselves “*Financially Sound*” (L4-F1)**Recommendations**

The Committee is re-presenting the following recommendations that have not been addressed, yet remain significant issues in this jurisdiction.

1) This recommendation addresses that indifference lodges have for the material developed by the Lodge Resources Committee. We have developed some excellent material to support membership growth, retention and development of our leadership that is being under-utilized and underappreciated.

2) The Cornerstone Project was introduced several years ago. Those lodges participating in this project have improved results. This recommendation addresses some of the concerns expressed by the membership regarding the reporting requirements and to consider recognition for repeat achievement.

3) Planning for the future is essential to our continuing existence, therefore this Committee recommends that Grand Lodge make more readily available in-person workshops on the topics of Long Range Planning and the Preparation of a Lodge Budget. We further recommend that the appropriate Committees of Grand Lodge be given the following mandate; to ensure that 75% of lodges have a 5 year Long Range Plan that includes a 5 year budget for the lodge, by the annual communication to held in 2020.

4) The following recommendation addresses opportunities to improve our Communications. We recommend to the Communications Committee that they explore alternative channels to deliver Grand Lodge newsletters, correspondence and information directly to the masons of our jurisdiction. And, that the Communications Committee continues to consolidate and streamline communications. Specifically, they explore the implementation of a single “communication” that would include **all** newsletters, communiqués and announcements.

We further recommend that Grand Lodge office continue to increase the use of electronic communications (email) with the Lodges of this jurisdiction.

DETAILS OF RECOMMENDATIONS

1) Over the years a tremendous amount of time and effort has gone into the development of our Lodge Resources materials. The District Deputy Grand Master’s reports ask if the Programs are used by the Lodges. The Lodges report as follows:

<u>Program</u>	<u>Use the Program</u>	<u>Use Something Else</u>	<u>Do Not Use</u>
Friend 2 Friend	48.1%	12.6%	39.3%
Brother 2 Brother	46.9%	8.8%	44.3%
Mentors	72.3%	13.4%	14.3%
AVERAGE	55.8%	11.6%	32.6%

These numbers highlight an issue with the uptake and use of these programs by the Lodges. This Committee believes that in general the content of the programs are robust, informative and benefit those that use them.

The report also asks the Lodges to rank their satisfaction with the above programs. The Lodges rate these programs “neither satisfied nor dissatisfied” – 50.7% of the time. (Friend 2 Friend – 54.9%, Brother 2 Brother – 59.9% and Mentors – 37.4%) These results can only be interpreted as general apathy towards these programs and what they have to offer in spite of at the apparent use of the these programs by 54.9% of the Lodges on average.

It is the observation of this Committee that many of our lodges are unable to implement the programs recommended in the Lodge Resources materials. As our overall membership continues to decline many individual lodges have become too small or lack the number of active members to effectively execute these numerous mandates. Many lodges have enough challenges filling the chairs, let alone committees, and although they want to do more can't possibly properly resource programs like Mentoring, Brother 2 Brother or Friend 2 Friend. Many Lodges no longer have the critical mass to deploy the necessary resources to effectively implement these programs. Therefore member retention and development programs become haphazard and unstructured, relying on individual members stepping into the “gap”. This can result in new members falling between the cracks, or end up with an experience that does not meet their expectations, and they leave the craft unfulfilled.

Therefore, this Committee recommends that the Lodges Resource Committee undertake a complete and thorough review of the contents of the Programs under its mandate to ensure that the material is timely, accurate and reflects current and up to date knowledge and best practices.

We further recommend that the organization, presentation and branding of this material be revamped and updated. The outcome of this process should be a harmonized and modernized presentation of this material. Further, they ensure that access to the material is compatible with modern technology, which would include tablets and mobile devices.

We further recommend that the Lodge Resources Committee prepare and execute a marketing and communications plan to inform the Lodges what is available and how to access it and most importantly the value of using this material to address challenges the Lodge maybe facing.

We further recommend that the Lodge Resources Committee consider developing a model of delivering these programs using the resources of the District to deliver the Lodge Resources programs to the benefit of all Lodges in the District.

2) The Cornerstone Project currently has similar results as other Lodge Resources programs. Only 28.7% of lodges are participating in the Project with 17.4% achieving the

Cornerstone Designation. When lodges are asked about their level of satisfaction with the Project 61.1% are neither satisfied nor dissatisfied. The reports of the District Deputy Grand Masters reveal that those lodges participating are reaping benefits. One lodge commented, "The Cornerstone Project has given the Lodges a working format for a business plan." In fact the Cornerstone Project offers many benefits to the lodges that participate, even if the full requirements for designation are not achieved!

Comments for improvement are directed towards the reporting requirements and process, the lack of members and/or interest to implement the requirements and a general lack of information about the Project.

When comparing the results of lodges that have earned the Cornerstone Designation to non-participating lodges, the trends are vastly improved. For example, Past Masters serving as the principle officers is reduced on average 11%, the numbers of applications received, attendance and number of degrees conferred are all increased, rating of the ritual is increased 15%, the number of members owing dues is reduced and the number of lodges with active financial committees is increased and the lodges that consider themselves "not financially sound" drops to 3.8% from 8.8%. The conclusion that must be drawn from these improved results across the board is that participation in the Cornerstone Project improves stability and overall success of a lodge.

Therefore, this Committee recommends that the Lodges Resource Committee undertake a review of the Cornerstone Project with the view of stream lining and modernizing the reporting requirements and methods. That the Committee gives serious consideration to incremental recognition to the lodges that "Repeat" their Designation, creating Gold, Silver and Bronze levels of achievement and corresponding recognition. An effort to link existing programs (Friend 2 Friend, Brother 2 Brother & Mentors) to the achievement of Cornerstone requirements. Thus creating a fully integrated suite of Programs directly linked to achievement and Grand Lodge recognition.

We further recommend that the Lodge Resources Committee prepare and execute a marketing and communications plan to inform the Lodges what is available and how to access it and most importantly the value of using this material to address challenges the Lodge maybe facing.

3) It has been said, "If you fail to plan, you plan to fail." The topics of a Lodge Budget or a Long Range Plan may be viewed as unnecessary, overly administrative or may be "unmasonic" by some. As only 52.5% of the Lodges report having a Long Range Planning Committee and only 23.8% report having a written plan, it would appear that we are failing to plan. However, 63.1% of our Lodges report preparing a budget for the Lodge, but 30.5% of the Lodges do not use or follow the budget they prepare!

The preparation of Long Range Plans and Budgets is time consuming and requires some modest skills and abilities. Grand Lodge offers resources to the Lodges on both these topics, available on the Grand Lodge website or by contacting the Financial Advisory Committee or the Strategic Planning Committee. Planning is not a guarantee of success; it does however improve the likelihood of success.

Therefore, this Committee recommends that Grand Lodge make more readily available in-person workshops on the topics of Long Range Planning and the Preparation of a Lodge Budget.

We further recommend that the appropriate Committees of Grand Lodge be given the following mandate; to ensure that 75% of lodges have a 5 year Long Range Plan that includes a 5 year budget for the lodge, and that this plan is reviewed and updated on an annual basis. This goal to be achieved by the annual communication to be held in 2020.

4) Over the years "Communications" has been a top priority for our Grand Lodge. Effective communications is another of those foundational pillars that must exist to underpin success in our organization. Great leaders are most often great communicators.

Strong organizations are the result of effective communication with its members. Email continues to be the primary and most used method of communication by our lodges (84.1%). However, our Grand Lodge office continues to rely heavily on the use of surface mail as a channel of communication with the lodges.

The Committees of our Grand Lodge exclusively use email to distribute their various newsletters and materials. The primary method of distributing these materials to their intended audience, individual masons, is what might best be described as an email tree. The email tree relies heavily on the District Deputies/District Secretaries and Lodge Secretaries to deliver materials to their individual members. Notably, two publications of Grand Lodge develop and maintain independent (email) mailing lists of individual masons, not relying exclusively on the email tree strategy. (Protocol & Etiquette & Ontario Mason Magazine)

This year's L1 included questions asking the lodges to rate the effectiveness our email tree approach to the distribution of communications. Seventy-Four percent (74%) of lodges rated this method of communication as effective. Although a positive response it does leave room for improvement in the communications to our individual members. This positive response may be attributed to a lack of viable alternatives to the current approach. Furthermore, most often the "L Forms" are responded to by a small group within the Lodge, often consisting of only the Secretary, Treasurer and Worshipful Master. This group being the recipients and "gatekeepers" of the final communications to lodge members may well be satisfied with the email tree approach to distribution of Grand Lodge communications.

Continuing on the theme of communications, the "L" Forms enquired regarding the expanded use of electronic (email) communications to correspond with and conduct business with the Grand Lodge office. (L1 – Question, Section F, #19) The response to this question was overwhelmingly in favour (96%) of expanding electronic (use of email) communication with the Grand Lodge office. (Such as the submission of the Return of Officers and Semi-Annual Return via attachment to an email)

Therefore, this Committee recommends that the Communications Committee explore alternative channels of communications to deliver Grand Lodge newsletters, correspondence and information directly to the masons of our jurisdiction. The Committee acknowledges the efforts of the Communications Committee as they have introduced both an "Events" and "Resources" Digest. The Committee applauds the effort of consolidating information into a single email and supports the continuation of the continued consolidation of our communications. We also support exploring other channels of communication beyond email. These may include, web postings, the use of social media and on a limited basis traditional print and post in the pursuit of improving our communication.

We further recommend that the Communications Committee continue to consolidate and streamline communications. Specifically, that they explore the implementation of a single "communication" that includes all newsletters, communiqués and announcements. The current ad hoc release and distribution of Grand Lodge communications can create information overload, with numerous emails there is the potential for recipients to simply begin to ignore this particular sender. A single monthly email from Grand Lodge containing all the various communications would be beneficial to our membership.

We further recommend that Grand Lodge office continue to increase the use of electronic communications (email) with the Lodges of this jurisdiction. Given the overwhelming positive response it may be viewed that electronic forms of delivery should be the default form of communications. This Committee acknowledges that electronic forms of communications cannot become our exclusive method of communication, but may become the method of choice.

The implementation of further electronic communications (email) may involve modification to our procedures as they relate to applying the lodge seal and signatures to various documents that are submitted to the Grand Lodge office. Given the positive

response to this question, it could be assumed that the membership would be supportive of the necessary modifications to support the increased use of electronic communications (email).

Closing

To the members of the Committee who review the reports, I wish to offer thanks personally and on behalf of Grand Lodge for their service, and their willingness to share their time and talent so freely. The intent of the review is to assess the Condition of Masonry within the lodge and to form a consolidated view of the condition of masonry of our Grand Lodge.

Once again the Committee has published the aggregated anonymous data collected via the “L Forms”. This report is available to every member on the Grand Lodge website (Members Area) in electronic (PDF) format for download.

In closing, it is my pleasure to serve this Grand Lodge and on behalf of the Committee to make the recommendations herein for the benefit of the Craft to ensure the timeless vitality of Freemasonry in Ontario.

Respectfully submitted.

RICHARD KAUFMAN, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON SEMINARS AND WORKSHOPS

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

On behalf of the members of the Seminars and Workshops Committee, I am pleased to submit our report for the period of July 2016 to July 2017.

MANDATE

“Providing, informative, instructional and interactive seminars and workshops on timely topics of importance to the Masons of Ontario.”

OBJECTIVE

We are committed to providing our Fraternity, with a series of excellent seminars and workshops throughout the upcoming Masonic year.

2016 REVIEW

Nine sessions were presented during the 2016 Annual Communication, they included:

- 1) Memorial Service – R.W. Bro. Les Armstrong/ R.W. Bro. Brian Simpson
- 2) Engaging a New Mason – W. Bro. Adam Nasrallah
- 3) Preparing for District Secretary – R.W. Bro. Tom Siemiernik
- 4) Cornerstone Project – R.W. Bro. Jamie Ireland
- 5) Building a Website – R.W. Bro. Bob Ledingham
- 6) Central Investment – R.W. Bro. Jim Sutherland
- 7) Historical Seminar for 300th Anniversary– R.W. Bro. Mike Jenkyns
- 8) Computer Resources – R.W. Bro. Robert Kliaman
- 9) Project Hope – R.W. Bro. Al Dvorak

All sessions of Seminars and Workshops at Grand Lodge were well attended. I believe the Brethren appreciate the time and effort that is put into coordinating the sessions and feel they are very beneficial in many ways. A large percentage of the feedback cards were very positive with their comments.

2016 MEET THE NOMINEES

Once again the Seminars and Workshops committee coordinated the “Meet & Greet” on the Tuesday evening at Grand Lodge held in the Salon Room “A” from 7:00 pm–8:30 pm. This event provided a chance for the Brethren to meet and chat with the Brethren that have submitted their names for an Office of Grand Lodge. In general the “Meet & Greet” feedback comments were mixed. There were a number of comments that implied, the event did not serve as an informative time as it had in the past. Attendance was lower once again than in previous years.

We would like to thank all the Nominees for participating in this event and to the Brethren for the excellent organizing as well.

GRAND LODGE SEMINARS & WORKSHOPS 2016 – 2017

The Grand Lodge Seminars & Workshops Committee has created a schedule for a series of Seminars & Workshops to be held throughout the Province as directed by the Grand Master. This was a continuation of a new direction for the Committee which had started in the previous year. As a result, each committee member was designated a geographic area and to organize the event. The committee members worked extensively to make the schedule available in a timely manner to allow further communications. We continued to communicate with the Brethren involved with Masonic Education, in respect to their schedules of sessions to prevent any duplication. (locations & topics).

GRAND LODGE SEMINARS & WORKSHOPS SCHEDULE 2016-2017

Peterborough District	November 9, 2016 @ 7:30 pm
Lorne Lodge Hall 66 Queen St (Hwy 7) Omemee, Ontario K0M 2W0 Topic: Officer Progression	
Algoma District	November 19, 2016 @ 9:30 am
Shuniah Lodge (Host) 270 Red River Road Thunder Bay, Ontario P7B 1A8 Topics: 1) Leadership Development 2) Masonic Education	
Toronto & York Districts	November 30, 2016 @ 7:30 pm
West Toronto Masonic Temple 151 Annette St Toronto, Ontario M6P 1P3 Topic: 1) Friend to Friend 2) Leadership Development	
Hamilton District A B & C Districts	January 30, 2017 @ 7:00 pm
Hillcrest Masonic Temple 257 Mohawk Road W Hamilton, Ontario L9C 1W2 Topic: Condition of Masonry	
Ottawa 1 & 2 Districts	March 29, 2017 @ 7:30 pm
Ottawa Masonic Centre 2140 Walkley Road Ottawa, Ontario K1G 3V3 Topic: Officer Progression	

Bruce & Grey Districts**April 6, 2017 @ 7:30 pm**

Saugeen Shores Masonic Centre

1213 Goderich St

Port Elgin, Ontario N0H 2C3

Topic: Officer Progression**Georgian North & South Districts****April 11, 2017 @ 7:30 pm**

Masonic Lodge Hall - Equity Lodge # 659 (host)

24 James St E

Orillia, Ontario L3V 1L1

Topic: Officer Progression**Niagara A & B District****April 20, 2017 @ 7:30 pm**

Mountain Lodge Hall

23 Center Street

St. Catharines, Ontario L2R 3A8

Topic: Cornerstone**Western, Algoma & Algoma East Districts****May 27, 2017 @ 10:00 am**

Kenora Masonic Temple

413 2nd St South

Kenora, Ontario P9N 1G7

Topic: 1) B2B - 5 Steps of Application

2) Condition of Masonry

3) Cornerstone

At the time of this report (April 2017) the attendance at each session has varied with an average of 40. The presenters did an excellent job presenting their topics. There was a lot of interaction with the Brethren in attendance with the Q&A portion. Everyone who attended these sessions found them very beneficial. I believe that taking the Grand Lodge Programs out to the various districts has proven to be a great success. Many Brethren expressed their wishes that they would like to see this continue in the future.

It has created an opportunity for those Brethren unable to attend Grand Lodge for personal reasons (family, work, financial, physical health, etc) to attend this type of event. The sessions attract local Brethren as well as some from surrounding districts.

2017 ANNUAL COMMUNICATION

The Grand Lodge Seminars and Workshops Committee will present its program at the Annual Communication on Tuesday July 18, 2017. The following sessions are scheduled for this year:

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Times	Ontario Room	Tudor 7/8 Room	Confed'n Room 5/6	Territories Room	Confed'n Room 3
1:30 to 2:20	Music Resource (download available) Presenter Grand Organist	Leadership Development Presenter Charles Woods	Cornerstone Project Presenter Art Di Cecco	DDGM Orientation Presenter Jamie Ireland	Computer Resources Presenter Robert Kliaman
2:30 to 3:20	Music Resource (download available) Presenter Grand Organist	Brother to Brother 5 Steps to Application Presenter Leyland Muss	Officer Progression Presenter Perry McConnell		Computer Resources Presenter Robert Kliaman
3:30 to 4:20	Construction & Function of Pipe Organ Grand Organist	Condition of Masonry Presenter Richard Kaufman	Lodge Finances Presenter Brian Koivu	Youth Initiatives Presenter Terrance Van Horne	Computer Resources Presenter Robert Kliaman

1) Lodge Finances – R.W. Bro. Brian Koivu

This Session focuses on How Financially Stable is Your Lodge?

2) Leadership Development – R.W. Bro. Charles Woods

This session will include guidelines of how to become a successful leader. This topic will help to prepare the Brethren to become Master of the Lodge.

3) Cornerstone – R.W. Bro. Art Di Cecco

This session will give an overview for the requirements of the Lodge to receive the designation.

4) DDGM Orientation – R.W. Bro. Jamie Ireland

This presentation will explore in detail the necessary requirements to become a DDGM. This session is always a great presentation with a relaxed atmosphere, sharing good advice and answering numerous questions with open discussion.

5) Masonic Music – R.W. Bro. Andrew Graham – Grand Organist

(Session 1 & 2) There will be a prepared music resource package that lodges will be able to download and use. A description of the contents with some practical advice on how to implement it.

(Session 3) A presentation on the construction and function of a pipe organ, with an organ present for the presentation.

6) Computer Resources – R.W. Bro. Robert Kliaman

These sessions are held continually during Tuesday afternoon. A great amount of very useful information is given on computers and programs, useful for Brethren.

7) Officer Progression – R.W. Bro. Perry McConnell

This session explains the responsibility of each chair in the Lodge. This is an excellent session to prepare Brethren to progress through the chairs to become Master.

8) Condition of Masonry - R.W. Bro. Richard Kaufman

This session reviews the DDGM's reports of the condition of the Lodges. It also explains the "L" forms and the "L" form that is returned to the Lodges for their review.

9) Youth Initiatives – R.W. Bro. Terrance Van Horne

This session will explain how the youth groups of the Masonic Family function and the steps taken by the young people throughout the organization.

2017 MEET THE NOMINEES

The Meet & Greet will not be held on Tuesday, July 19, 2016 at the Annual Communication.

THANK YOU

The Grand Lodge Seminars and Workshops Committee would like to express their sincere **Thank You** to our Grand Master M.W. Bro. John C. Green and our Deputy Grand Master R.W. Bro. Paul E. Todd for their ongoing support towards the schedule events of the Grand Lodge Seminars and Workshops Committee. It allows all Brethren, attending Grand Lodge, to gain knowledge and experience the work that the Grand Lodge Committees are doing.

On behalf of the Grand Lodge Seminars and Workshops Committee, we would like to express our sincere **Thank You** to all Chairmen, Team Leaders and Committee Members for making all sessions of the Grand Lodge Seminars and Workshops Committee successful. The sessions held throughout the Masonic year and those scheduled at the Annual Communication would not be possible without your continuous support. Your time and efforts are greatly appreciated.

CONCLUSION

It was our hope, that as a Committee, we would strive to carry out the Goals & Objectives, as we move forward to working with the Brethren in this Masonic year. We as a Committee, have the opinion that we were successful and achieved our goals and objectives to the best of our abilities, while adjusting to a new, positive direction for the committee.

Respectfully submitted.

LES ARMSTRONG, Chairman

REPORT ON THE MASONIC FOUNDATION OF ONTARIO

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. Allan C. (Al) Dvorak, President.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

This Report does not appear in the Preliminary Reports and Fraternal Reviews of Grand Lodge.

It is my privilege to present my third report as President, on behalf of the Board of Directors to the Fifty-fourth Annual Meetings of the Masonic Foundation of Ontario, being held at the Fairmont Royal York Hotel, in the City of Toronto, Ontario, on Tuesday July 18, 2017.

I extend a special welcome to all Masons, as the Masonic Foundation of Ontario salutes the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario continued support of the Foundation.

Introduction: This year is such a special time in the history of our Foundation as we join in the celebration to honour the official 300th anniversary of modern Freemasonry worldwide and the 150th anniversary of the Grand Lodge of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Every Mason in Ontario has experienced either directly or indirectly the impact of having a “brother”, friend, acquaintance or family member stricken by the horrendous disease of cancer. To combat this deadly scourge on humanity in general, and our fraternity in particular, our Past Grand Master Most Worshipful Brother Donald A. Campbell made the decision, in cooperation with the Directors of the Masonic Foundation of Ontario, to support three highly respected and far reaching research projects to provide meaningful funding for prostate cancer research in **Ontario**. Funding to these three research projects, known as **PROSTATE HOPE**, commenced in 2013.

For the past two years, during his terms as the Grand Master, Most Worshipful Brother John C. Green, continued the fund raising of PROSTATE HOPE to enable it to reach the set goal of \$1 Million, which is the amount to fund our support of the three prostate cancer research projects.

Although, technically the fund raising portion of **PROSTATE HOPE** comes to an end at this year’s Grand Lodge Communication, it must be realized that the Masonic Foundation support and funding of the three Prostate Cancer research projects **will continue through the year 2023. Ten years in total.**

Prostate cancer is one of the most common cancers in men. Genetics, age, diet, race, family history – even sedentary lifestyle – may all play a part in contributing to prostate cancer risks. The risk of developing prostate cancer increases **after the age of 50 years**. Majority of prostate cancer are diagnosed in men over 65 years.

I want to thank all the brethren who have donated their personal time and contributions to PROSTATE HOPE, one way or the other. The District Deputy Grand Masters, the Districts and all the Lodges which helped to make this campaign the success it was, over these past years.

I want to thank the Directors of the Foundation who tirelessly supported this campaign. Dr. David Cameron who served as the Chairman of Prostate Cancer Research and whose medical expertise has been vital in dealing with the medical urological surgeons and their medical teams which research projects we are supporting. Lindsay Reiach who served as the Chairman of **PROSTATE HOPE** and put in so much time and effort on the “front lines” and especially behind the scenes to work towards a successful conclusion.

Appreciation: The Masonic Foundation of Ontario is really blessed by having as its executives and directors, some of the most dedicated individuals who bring to the Board their extensive knowledge, experience and skills, looking after not only the Foundation’s, but you, the brethren’s, best charitable interests.

Change is constant to keep up with the times. Last year, the Communication of Grand Lodge, Paul Skazin was re-appointed Chairman of the Grand Lodge Benevolent Committee, and by virtue of his office remained as an ex-officio Director of the Foundation.

Likewise, by virtue of his office, for the past two years, Paul Todd, Deputy Grand Master served as an ex-officio Director of the Foundation, and will retire from that position this year.

Your Foundation has enjoyed the unqualified support of our Grand Lodge and our Grand Master, Most Worshipful Brother John C. Green and our Deputy Grand Master Right Worshipful Brother Paul E. Todd, who regularly reminded the brethren of their charitable obligations. They also reinforce the position of the Foundation as the “Charity of Choice” for all Ontario Masons.

This year marks the conclusion of the six year term of Directors Dr. David J. Cameron, John L. Hay and Patrick McGrenere. David Cameron joined the Board in 2011 and has been involved with Medical Research and more specifically as the Chairman of prostate cancer research for the Foundation. John Hay joined the Board in 2011 and has been involved as the Chairman of the District Projects for the Foundation. Patrick McGrenere joined the Board in 2011 and has been instrumental in the drafting of the Conflict of Interest protocol for the Board of Directors of the Foundation. Two Directors

have tendered their resignations this year for personal reason. James Anderson joined the board in 2014 and served as Vice President. David R. Lewis joined the Board in 2015 and is relocating to Nova Scotia.

We thank all of these brethren for the time, talents and dedication they so freely contributed to the Foundation.

The Foundation recognized and commends the multitude of individuals who implement and promote its programs and information by their dedication. Who contribute regularly to the Yellow and Grey Envelope appeals and who passionately communicate the Foundation story.

The vast inter-related family of District Deputy Grand Masters, along with their District and Lodge Representatives, but above all, **you the Brethren.**

I am a firm believer that besides the 30% members of each lodge, who are able and willingly actively attend the lodge meetings; there are another 30% of the most dedicated and loyal Brethren who are not able to attend lodge, due to infirmity, poor health, inability to drive climb stairs and many other reasons beyond their control. **KEEP THESE BRETHREN** in your thoughts, contact, as they are very dedicated Masons. The challenge for the Foundation is to reach each and every one of these dedicated Masons. The best way is through their lodges. **Through you.** Ensure they all get the updated Foundation Annual Report, pamphlets, literature, and Foundation envelopes.

I want to recognize the regular and invaluable contributions that your Foundation receives from its Secretary, Melvyn J. Duke and his assistant, Kathy Crombie.

Please take the time to read the progress of research and charitable works funded by the Masonic Foundation of Ontario, in the pages which follow – **YOUR FOUNDATION – AT WORK.**

All of which is respectfully submitted on behalf of the Board of Directors, Officers, and Committee Chairmen of The Masonic Foundation of Ontario.

ALLAN C. (Al) DVORAK, President

REPORT OF THE ADVISORY TO LODGE BUILDINGS

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

One of the goals of the Committee is to provide advice and assistance to any Lodge contemplating the construction of a new building or the renovation and remodeling of an existing building for lodge purposes.

Lost Villages Lodge No. 256 is renovating their Lodge room from the floor to the ceiling with a completion date of 2021 for their 150th anniversary.

Doric Lodge No. 289 sold their Lodge building and has renovated a room in the Komoka Community Centre. They have created a movable Lodge room, as they are sharing the room with a Church Sunday school. They created movable platforms for the East, West and South by installing small casters on the back of the platforms that allows them to be stood on end and rolled into a storage room. The tassels are hung with magnets on the metal tracks of the ceiling and can be easily removed by gently pulling on them. They installed double fire rated steel entrance doors and have a steel fire exit door that leads into the parking lot. The building is on one floor and is handicapped accessible. They are allowed the use of a commercial kitchen and reception area. They have reduced their monthly expenses from \$1,000.00 per month to \$80.00 per month. Congratulations to the members of Doric Lodge No. 289 for a great remodeling job and the vision to make it happen. If any lodge in the Province needs some advice on how to create a moveable

lodge room, I am sure the members of Doric Lodge No. 289 would be glad to give you some great ideas.

The Committee has the responsibility to ensure that all Lodges in the jurisdiction have completed their Fire Safety Inspection, did the required repairs where ordered by the Fire Service and have completed a Fire Safety Plan for the building. In the case where the building is under the control of a Temple Board or owned by a third party the Lodge is still responsible to see that the Inspection etc. is completed.

The Lodge Building Compliance fire inspections were due by December 31, 2016 for the Districts from Algoma to Ontario. Of the 21 Districts from Algoma to Ontario, we have 1 District with 4 outstanding Lodge building fire inspections not completed as of April 1, 2017.

The Lodge Building Compliance fire inspections for the Districts of Ottawa 1 to York are due for the year 2017.

*Star of the East No. 422 in Bothwell goes over their fire drill before every meeting. The following is an example of the procedure they use.

To Be Read Aloud By the Worshipful Master

Brethren, before we open, let's review our emergency procedures in case of fire.

I will call 911. Please take notice of our marked exits. The exit lights will remain lit during an electrical power failure.

In the event of a fire we will leave in an orderly manner by way of an exit furthest from the suspected fire. Able bodied brothers please assist the brethren that are less capable.

We will assemble across the street (or other safe place) by the (prominent well known landmark).

Brother Junior Warden will check the washrooms. Brother Senior Warden will check the kitchen, basement and other separate rooms. Brother Inner Guard will bring the Tyler's Register.

I will be the last one out and will conduct roll call when I reach our designated place of assembly.

There is a certified fire extinguisher at each exit.

All of our Lodges should take note of the above procedure and tweak it to their own building and surroundings, and read it out at all of their meetings. We never know when it might be necessary to carry out the fire exit plan. Better to be prepared then to stumble about during an emergency.

Respectfully submitted.

WILLIAM A. ATKINSON, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL RELATIONS

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

A recognition request was received from the G.L. of Baja California:

Consecrated in February 1933 it is comprised of some 700 members who practice regular freemasonry as indicated by the Commission on Information for Recognition.

The committee recommends recognition be granted.

Recognition requests were also received from four Grande Oriente jurisdictions located in Brazil: Rio Grande Do Sul, Mato Grosso, Parana and Santa Catarina.

It is recommended the requests be sent to committee for investigation and report.

Respectfully submitted.

TERENCE SHAND, Chairman

REPORT OF THE ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON LODGE FINANCES

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I begin by extending my personal appreciation to the Grand Master for affording me the opportunity to serve our Craft and our Grand Lodge as Team Leader of the Advisory Committee on Lodge Finances.

The committee reports to the Management Committee through the Operations Chair, R.W. Bro. H. Edward Standish. As Team Leader, I serve as a liaison to the Grand Lodge Audit and Finance Committee report on matters pertaining to lodge finances.

The members of the Advisory Committee on Lodge Finances for 2016-17 are R.W. Bro. Syd Schatzker, V.W. Bro. John Scott and W. Bro. Neil Freidman. I would like express my sincere appreciation to all of them for their guidance and support.

Our Committee functions as a resource to Lodges on matters pertaining to financial management best practices. The activities include those related budgeting, accounting, audit and longer term financial planning. Over the years the Committee has developed resource material for the use of lodges which have been introduced through periodic newsletters and are available on the Grand Lodge website.

It is important to emphasize that the essence of the Committee's work is advisory not compliance enforcement. Our mandate is to respond to requests for assistance and to provide advice and guidance so as to enable those who are responsible for the well ruling and governing of a lodge and its finances are fully equipped to fulfill their responsibilities.

The year 2015 saw the first introduction of the L4 form. This Form is designed to capture relevant financial data is completed by the Lodge Secretary and Treasurer and submitted to the Grand Lodge Condition of Masonry Committee in conjunction with the official visit of the District Deputy Grand Master to the Lodge. The form also provides each Lodge with the opportunity of requesting the assistance of the Lodge Financial Advisory Committee.

As of this writing Financial Advisory Committee has received 41 requests for contact from Lodges for the 2016-17 Masonic year through the Condition of Masonry Committee.

Many of the requests originate from Lodges which have been experiencing operating deficits in some cases for several years. Some are drawing down on reserves and many do not prepare annual budgets for the approval of the brethren of the lodge.

The Committee's determination is that most of the difficulty being experienced by lodges is revenue related. Declining membership leads to declines in dues revenue of course and some lodges struggle because a significant number of their members are in arrears of dues. In some situations also, the dues amount has not come under consideration by the lodge for many years and thus below the amount required for the financial sustainability of the lodge.

Part of the L4 invites those preparing the form to self-assess as to whether or not; the Lodge is "financially sound". It is interesting to note that some lodges incurring operating deficits regard themselves as being financially sound, usually due to reasonable reserves balances. Reserve amounts, even large ones, will eventually disappear if prudent approaches are not adopted in terms of the annual operations of the lodge.

The financial practices followed by lodges with respect to their building entities have been a source of concern for our Committee and for much of its work for several years. The financial management of a building entity regardless of the organizational structure is usually much more complex than that of a lodge. There are annual report filings due to Canada Revenue Agency and other regulatory agencies which if missed can cause numerous problems for the lodge and its members.

Part of "ensuring the timeless vitality of Freemasonry in Ontario" relates to its financial vitality. There are challenges in all of this and the answers even if apparent are not always easy. The Advisory Committee on Lodge Finances exists to help and guide as requested and is prepared to do so.

Respectfully submitted.

BRIAN V. KOIVU, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE COMMUNICATIONS COMMITTEE

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I am most pleased to report on behalf of the Communications Committee. This is not a stand alone committee but is comprised of several teams, each with hard working Team Leaders.

This committee has revised two Grand Lodge Policies, one being the Social Media Policy and the other the Privacy Policy. Special thanks to those who have worked to bring these to fruition, R.W. Bros. Tom Hogeboom, Iain Wates and Peter Harbert.

The most historic event of this year is that the oldest Fraternity in the world and the best country in the world celebrate are celebrating milestones together! Congratulations!!!

Special thanks to our Grand Master M.W. Bro. John C. Green and Deputy Grand Master R.W. Bro. Paul E. Todd for their leadership and support, along with R.W. Bro. Tom Hogeboom who assumed responsibilities for the Communications Committee during my temporary absence, thank you.

The reports of the Team Leaders as follows:

REPORT OF THE WEB TECHNOLOGY TEAM

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & AM. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Shortly following last year's report, the newly redesigned web site went live. The new web site was designed with a clean looking approach and a menu system designed to get the sought after document in three clicks or less. It is also mobile friendly and appears at or near the top when using a search engine such as Google or Bing.

The software used in the development and presentation of the various aspects of the web site is kept up to date and current so as to avoid getting caught with outdated applications that no longer work. Our site security software likewise is kept current. This ongoing work is completed in a timely fashion by the efforts of R.W. Bro. Robert Ledingham whose contributions are very much appreciated by all.

Our Team, under the guidance of the Communications Chairman, R.W. Bro. Tom Siemiernik not only provides a service to our members but to other committees. This year we worked closely with the Brother to Brother Team to publish resource material for the newly initiated Entered Apprentice Mason and now the assistance continues to develop material similar material for the Fellowcraft Mason. This has been made possible by the efforts of W. Bro. Christopher Warden.

The team also works closely with R.W. Bro. Peter Sialtsis who is responsible for the distribution of the various publications, so that the material appears on the web site almost simultaneous to the distribution. All material on the web site must be approved prior to its publication. This year we also introduced 'web authors' who work closely with the various committees to ensure that material is posted in a timely fashion. The self-imposed time line is that 99% of all postings and inquiries are dealt with within 24 hours or less. This includes requests for new accounts and login assistance. The members of the web technology team also work closely with all other committees and teams to meet the needs of our members.

The website continues to be a major portal for persons who show an interest in Freemasonry and these inquiries are dealt with promptly and efficiently by V.W. Bro. Gerald Morgan who processes more than 50 inquiries each month. We have seen an increase this year in the number of persons seeking information on Masonry.

I am extremely grateful to all of the team members who collectively have made the results possible as well as the many other Grand Lodge Officers. In particular, I am very much indebted to R.W. Bro. Tom Siemiernik who has provided the necessary leadership and support to assist me in the work of the team.

Respectfully submitted.

MICHAEL LOCKE, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE INTERNAL COMMUNICATIONS – PUBLISHING REVIEW TEAM

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & AM. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The Internal Communication-Publishing Review Team has been hard at work this year and has received numerous documents from:

- The Education Committee (Education Monthly and Reflections),
- Ontario Mason Magazine,
- Blood Donors Committee (Donation Newsletter),
- Fraternal Correspondence Committee,
- The Brother 2 Brother Committee (Nuggets),

- Letters to DDGM's and "Music for Lodges"

Approximately 39 individual documents have been reviewed and proofed since the beginning of the year. The Publishing Review Team continues to review documents as submitted and continue to attempt a one week turn around. The team tries to oblige if a document requires an expedited review. Team Leaders and Chairmen have been very accommodating and are submitting documents with very few "rush" orders.

Although we do not alter or change content, there are times that suggestions are made to ensure correct grammar, spelling and "readability". There have also been reviews where suggestions were made on graphics photos (size and position). Reviewers provide an extra set of eyes that might find a misplaced apostrophe, a spelling mistake or awkwardly worded sentence. We are always here to assist.

The Internal Communication side of the committee will be awarding GOLD and SILVER plaques to those newsletter editors and webmasters who we feel, deserve recognition.

Congratulations go to:

GOLD AWARD Best Web site- Ottawa District 1

SILVER AWARD Best Web Site- Bruce District

GOLD AWARD Best Newsletter- Hiram's Lighthouse (Toronto East District)

SILVER AWARD Best Newsletter – Hamilton 'Chronicles (Hamilton District C)

Respectfully submitted.

JAMES SERCOMBE, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE BLOOD DONORS' COMMITTEE

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The Blood Donor Team consists of a team leader and the 43 District Chairmen of Blood Donors. The team's **Goals & Objectives** this year were:

1. To promote and encourage Masons, their families and friends to give the gift of life when able to do so.
2. To assist and improve awareness of the need and use of blood and its by-products to the brethren, their families and friends within their community.
3. To raise the awareness of and encourage their brethren, family and friends to consider participation in the Unrelated Bone Marrow Donor Registry.
4. To establish and support a viable relationship with the Canadian Blood Services.

I am pleased to report that Masons in Ontario continue to make a major contribution to the cause of blood supply. Through the efforts of the District Chairman and the many lodge volunteers they have collected some 25787 units of blood from Masons, their families, friends and neighbours. Well done brethren. These are significant contributions to the wellbeing of the people of Ontario.

Involvement in the collection of blood and blood products is an important one for Masons. And not just for historical reasons. The severe reduction in LOCAL social involvement over the past fifty years (and its replacement by communication globally through social networking by computer and internet) has caused a great reduction in social capital and concomitantly a great fall in the membership of most community

organizations. Masonry is but one example, Church membership, the scouting movement, Service clubs, even meals on wheels and MANY other local organizations have undergone the same reduction¹. Blood donation is one activity which cannot be done on-line!

These statistics only tell part of the story. Many lodges and individuals spend a lot of time and effort in this task and many go unrecognized. Some of this apparent lack is explained by a failure of reporting. As will be seen from the results in the appended table I've had no report from many Districts so that their totals are the same as those reported through the Partners for life (PFL) data supplied by Canadian Blood Services. This does not necessarily mean that lodges have not been active: their efforts simply have not been reported and the only reported numbers are PFL statistics. It would seem that collecting data is more difficult than collecting blood! The lack of reporting by many Districts makes this project difficult as far as statistical accuracy is concerned. So, I must stress that 25,787 is a best estimate; the actual total might well be higher than this.

With that provisio however it is heartwarming to report the major effort put forward by those Districts that have reported. Two Northern Districts, Algoma East and Nipissing Muskoka, account for a substantial portion of all donations recorded overall.

I've had disturbing reports of problems at clinics arising from shortages of blood. It seems that the issue of payment for donations has once again become a major issue. When Ontario has a shortage, they must PURCHASE blood from agencies in Northern U.S. However, when they have a shortage, Ontario DONATES some of their supply to their American counterparts.

Platelet collection is also a major talking point. Commercial clinics are being licensed in certain parts of the country and are paying donors. In Ontario, this is not allowed. However, the collected product is SOLD to drug companies, mainly based in the U.S. for profit.

Jurisdiction summary follows:

District	District Chairman	Total units collected	Whole blood (PFL)	Plasma (PFL)	Platelets (PFL)
Algoma East	W. Bro. Richard McCutcheon	1638			
Brant	Bro. Dan Nerejko	163	163		
Bruce	V.W. Bro. Barry Follett	139	139		
Chatham	W. Bro. Donald Wadsworth	31	24		
Essex	V.W. Bro. Mort Brodsky	77	77		
Eastern	W. Bro. Ross Langille	139			
Frontenac	Bro. Ron Quinn	38	38		
Georgian North	W. Bro. Jamie Woolhead	39	39		
Georgian South	W. Bro. Robert Laundry	125	71		44
Grey	V.W. Bro. Brian Curtis	35	35		
Hamilton A	W. Bro. Peter Lesser	12			
Hamilton B	W. Bro. Sean Straughan	57	37		10
Hamilton C	W. Bro. John MacKay	22	22		

London East	W. Bro. Terry Walker	92	41	51	
London West	V.W. Bro. Brian Howard	643	111	445	36
Niagara A	R.W. Bro. Norman McLean	85	85		
Niagara B	Bro. Grant Shuttleworth	3709	57		
Nipissing Muskoka	R.W. Bro. Burton Parks	6490	58		
North Huron	W. Bro. David Wall	3304	85		
Ontario	W. Bro. David Town	1886	185		
Ottawa 1	W. Bro. Dan Gray	44	44		
Ottawa 2	V.W. Bro. Roy Yandt	1121	37		2
Peterborough	W. Bro. Jim Rees	67	67		
Prince Edward	Bro. Wayne Roberts	18	18		
St. Laurence	R.W. Bro. Andrew Graham	63	63		
St. Thomas	W. Bro. Terry Ronald	53	53		
Sarnia	W. Bro. Rob Vos	84	45	27	12
South Huron	V.W. Bro. Wayne Snyder	2162	581	11	34
Sudbury Manitoulin	Bro. David Squarzolo	34	34		
Temiskaming	W. Bro. Barrie Young				
Toronto Don Valley	Bro. Davidson Tate	63	63		
Toronto East	Bro. John Katz	1868	71		
Tononto Humber Valley	Bro. Sean Murphy	31	31		
Toronto West	Bro. Vinesh Lala	53	53		
Victoria	W. Bro. Randy Warren	57	57		
Waterloo	Bro. Stewart Fraser	510	155		
Wellington	W. Bro. Bryce Butcher				
Western	W. Bro. Bill Devins				
Wilson North	R.W. Bro. Donald Rumble	749	137	2	50
Wilson South	Bro. Scott Paton	62	62		
York	W. Bro. Elwood Kirton	21	21		
	Totals	25787	2859	536	188

Significant Contributions

The following brethren made significant contributions to our cause. We recognize their efforts and thank them for the special efforts they have made. They are the unsung heroes who can make us all proud to be Masons.

- The brethren of Nipissing Muskoka and Algoma East have been very active and enthusiastic. Their contributions should be an inspiration to all.
- As reported by **Bro. Grant Shuttleworth** of Niagara B District, *“Adoniram Lodge has a brother named **Bob Qua** who is a teacher. He teaches English to new Asian immigrants. While volunteering at the Niagara Worship Centre Blood donors’ clinic he brings his class to help. It’s a learning experience for them at the same time.*
- **King Edward VII lodge** has a brother named **W. Bro. Bill Horwitz**. *This brother spends huge amounts of time visiting all the lodges and concordant bodies promoting blood donor clinics. He is also one of the most loyal and regular volunteers at the Niagara Worship Centre in Niagara Falls. He is kind of my support system. When I can’t be present, I’m sure he will be.”*
- *We have examples like **W. Bro. Rolly Barnes** (a man afraid of needles in the past) from **Myrtle Lodge** who made it his commitment two years ago to donate on a monthly basis.*

Even though many of our Brethren are in their final years, many of the younger ones really step up to donate as much as they can.

- **W. Bro. Randy Warren** of Victoria District reports *“our **D.D.G.M. R.W. Bro. Lawrence (Larry) Bell** has given over 100 units of blood over the years. When he asked me to be his chairman last June, I accepted. I had never given blood before and thought I had better practice what I preach. I could not stand up in the Lodge and ask the Brethren give and not do so myself. I have given blood twice since then and plan to continue.*
- **Bro. Vinesh Lala** of Toronto West reports, *“we awarded **V.W. Bro. Tony Dureden** with a 100 donation certificate with a small but powerful ceremony. He got cut off at 97 donations due to health reason, so I had 3 brethren donate blood in his name so Canadian Blood Services officially recognized him in Ottawa as giving 100 blood donations and we awarded him the certificate from Grand Lodge. He was touched, as this was something he wanted to achieve and was never happy he was told to stop donating just 3 donations away from 100. **Bro. Nick Ramputty of Flower City Lodge No. 689** has 2 of his kids, twins, in DeMolay and Rainbow and they are both working on raising awareness for Hemophilia as their charity of choice. Bro. Nick has asked if we could help them in raising awareness and funds for this charity, so I have empowered **Bro. Darko Zdravic** of University Lodge to help in this role as he is a medical student who works with blood on a daily basis around Hemophilia.*
- **Bonnechere Lodge No. 433**, Eganville, one of our smaller lodges, provided 10 volunteers to assist at 5 clinics which collected 303 donations

Special Mention

- **V.W. Bro. Fred Waller** gave his 103rd donation on November 1st. 2016, having started over 50 years ago at 400 King Street East, Hamilton.
- Certificates were awarded to **Bro. Willie Woo** of Durham Lodge No. 66 (125 donations) and **Bro. Jim Deviney** of Colbourne Lodge No. 91 (100 donations).
- First time certificates were presented to the following brethren from Toronto Don Valley; **W. Bro. Derick Manaois** of Grenville Lodge No. 629, **Bro. Eric**

West of Remembrance Lodge No. 586, **Bro. Luisito Ventura** of Remembrance Lodge No. 586. **Bro. Casil Galicinao** of Remembrance Lodge No. 586. **Bro. Jomar Baybayan** of Remembrance Lodge No. 586.

- In Toronto West certificates went to First time donor - **Bro. Christopher Liam Doyle** of Flower City Lodge No. 689 and to 25th donor - **Bro. William Evans Kindon** of Anthony Sayer Lodge No. 640.
- **R.W. Bro. John McKillip** of Manitoba Lodge No. 236, Georgian South District was given a certificate recognizing his 75th Donation.
- **W. Bro. Cameron Johnson** of Temple Lodge in Niagara A District has recorded 62 donations.
- **Bro. Ben San Juan** continues to give sterling service as coordinator for the five Toronto Districts.

Thank you to all the District Chairmen who comprise the team. Your task is not an easy one as often you struggle to obtain the information we need. Nevertheless, your efforts are recognized and the work that you and your brethren do in arranging and staffing clinics is a source of great pride to us all.

Thanks are also due to the many volunteers, who are not Masons, but who assist our efforts by their work in the clinics.

Recommendations:

1. That efforts need to be made to strengthen the work of the District Chairmen. Incoming District Deputy Grand Masters are urged to appoint men who are interested in the task, experienced if possible and willing to work hard to ensure maximum blood collection in their District. It should not be done as only a stepping stone to higher office.
 2. District Chairman need to keep a record of the Blood donor chairmen in their district Lodges and maintain close communication with them.
 3. This initiative should extend into Organ Donation next year.
- Respectively submitted.

JOHN FORSTER, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE YOUTH INITIATIVES COMMITTEE

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & AM. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The following is a synopsis and overview of this Committee for the past Masonic term.

Before all else and on behalf of the three Youth Group Organizations, DeMolay for Boys, Rainbow for Girls and Jobs Daughters, I'd like to acknowledge the tireless efforts of those individuals who have contributed significantly to the ongoing success and benefit of our Grand Lodge Youth Initiative Program.

First my predecessor, R.W. Bro. Keith Jones; who was more than helpful in assisting with delving into and outlining my responsibilities and who was an enthusiastic Grand Lodge representative among the Youth Groups during his tenure. His efforts of course were highly accented by those Grand Lodge Officers who preceded him, and to whom we are ever most thankful. Our appreciations further extend, to all members of our Masonic family who have come out in support of the Youth Groups over the past year. The inclusion and attendance of Masons at Youth Meetings is an immense support and an uplifting encouragement to these fine, actively engaged youngsters.

Secondly, Ernest Loiselle, President for Demolay Canada, who has laboured intensively for more than four decades in developing and stabilizing Demolay for boys in Ontario and who was most helpful to me. His wife has been equally as active with

Rainbow Girls. They have been steadfastly assisted by Allin Brown and his family in Guelph, an immense resource and help to us. From the Pickering area, Horst Benoit and his wife continue to work diligently on behalf of Rainbow Girls and have been diligent contributors over the years. Richard Loomes in Ottawa; along with R.W. Bro. Barry Burchill, continues to work hard for the young people in that area. Sara Kruyk, Supreme Deputy for Rainbow Girls, Pat Pelham, Supreme Guardian along with Tim McIssac for Jobs Daughters each devote an immense amount of their time and energies to assisting these two organizations for girls in remaining active, engaged and of service to their communities. We are grateful to all of the above for their open assistance.

The term began on a solemn note with the passing of Mom Dale Davies shortly after Grand Lodge. A stalwart and beloved member of Rainbow for Girls, she worked tirelessly to help give these young women an ideal to follow and a moral to be guided by. Her daughter Kaitlyn Davies continued on to be crowned Provincial Grand Worthy Advisor later in the Fall.

For the benefit of Grand Lodge in understanding and appreciating the limitations these groups thrive under, the regular and long term enlistment of interested and dedicated Advisors is a task which proves awkward to maintain for these groups. Finding dedicated adults to assist in the regular, long term activity of these groups appears to have personal limits regarding time management and resource dedication for any interested or semi interested parties. Masons from the jurisdiction have an excellent opportunity to be of service and to stem that tide provided they opt to engage any of these Groups; even casually.

Whether due to general social issues, individual commitments, or a simple lack of Will, this single aspect is a leading hindrance to the limited number of Chapters we have within the Youth Groups Initiative. Indeed, young adolescents themselves have a wide age range of interests, pressures and diversions which adds further to instability within the membership. Even still, they embrace each other regardless of age and remain a steadfast light to us and the community.

It should be keenly noted that for the age span of between 12 to 21 years, these youngsters produce very impressive work. Their Ritual is engaging, intricate and well presented. The term between chairs is a scant six months which means that they must absorb and present memory work with little preparation before moving forward. They plan and schedule an aggressive social and charitable program which engages them as members and unites them with the community. Any Mason viewing them in their element can't help but be in awe and impressed with their capability and fortitude.

There has been some notable change to the status of new groups in the Hamilton and Richmond Hill area. At present, Richmond Hill Chapter, through R.W. Bro. Ross Guerre is seeking a Charter from Demolay Canada and waiting on administrative approval in order to become active. W. Brother Les Vass from Wentworth Lodge in Stoney Creek has been working diligently to raise a Chapter there. The Barrie Chapter under Steve Berendregt, is doing all it can to stabilize and expand and engage young people there. Richard Loomes and Derek Friesen have each worked tirelessly for some years to preserve or develop Chapters in their respective areas too.

The Committee continues to investigate and encourage the inclusion of Mason's wives and partners. Many of whom may not wish to connect with Freemasonry itself but who might otherwise devote time to one of these particular groups instead. Again, because women in general share a particular kinship with children and already volunteer on behalf of a number of outside volunteer organizations, it provides a positive opportunity to be further explored.

Secondly, the use of Gift Cards for Masons under the control of Rainbow Girls and DeMolay is of particular interest and importance to this Committee. There is a small window of opportunity in this area. One which may well go some distance in easing some of the long term ills associated with certain sustainability aspects inherent with these groups.

We continue to substantiate and advertise this Gift Cards Program aimed at Masons who; at no expense to them can be used at face value, Cards which can be purchased and used in a wide number of places including the Royal York Hotel at Grand Lodge. Rather than cash or Credit Cards, Gift Cards can be a useful substitute for full payment of Hotel expenses and bills.

We have also taken pains to spread the word and interest of Grand Lodge in support of Youth Groups at as many Masonic meetings as possible. The opportunity to speak supportively in Lodge and to solicit active inclusion with Youth Groups is ongoing. Awareness for our brothers is vital as many remain unaware of the existence of Youth Groups in general. However, Masons are highly encouraged to attend the various Youth meetings and engage with any or all of these three groups; of which I am positive they cannot help but be moved by.

The Youth Group Award Series and Essay Contest continues to be a hit and is highly anticipated by youth and Advisors alike. The program culminates each Fall with presentations being made to those young people who have made their mark in the program. An individual award plaque as well a personal and Chapter cheque is presented to the winning boy and girl.

We had the distinct pleasure and privilege of attending the International Ceremony of the Installation for Rainbow Girls in Burlington last September. It was an engaging dinner and ceremony culminating with the Awards Program winner. The evening was eloquently capped by the presence and inclusion of the Deputy Grand Master, Right Worshipful Brother Paul E. Todd. Both the Deputy and I were delightfully surprised and enchanted with the capability, presence and effort these young people put into their ceremony.

This past March, at the Provincial Installation Ceremony for DeMolay, a total of 17 young men were brought into the organization making it one of the best years ever for the organization. The Ceremony went very smoothly as these young men moved through their work. The day was capped with an amazing portrayal of the trial of Jacques DeMolay by the tribunal of King Phillip IV. The scene being handsomely set in the Scottish Rite theatre in Hamilton; the boys acted with superb ability and demonstration making the portrayal insightful and meaningful for an audience of over a hundred.

Lastly, we were extremely honoured to receive a dedicated segment at the Grand Lodge Seminars this term. The opportunity to signify our support for Youth Initiatives greatly enhances that profile and educates Masons regarding this untapped and under supported aspect in Masonry. I further contend that it's more important than ever to bridge all associated challenges to draw a more direct connection or link to Freemasonry in these changing times.

Grand Lodge, under the auspicious of this Committee is keenly interested and a supportive body committed to the growth, welfare and future development of these fine young people. As Masons we are here to do the right thing for the right reasons, therefore providing direct support, guidance and encouragement is an element inherent both to us and to every one of them. There is a future for these young people and we must do our utmost in helping to build it with them. In these troubling and confounding times, our hope for a brighter tomorrow rests in the dreams and outlook of young men and women such as these, does it not behove us then, to assist in every manner possible!

Respectfully submitted.

TERRANCE VAN HORNE, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE PUBLIC AWARENESS TEAM

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & AM. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The following is a summary of the various activities of the Public Awareness Committee for the year 2016 – 2017:

- Masonic involvement at the 2016 International Plowing Match was quite successful due to the planning and hard work of the local committee and which resulted in the participation of most of the concordant bodies as well as the relevant committees of Grand Lodge at the event. Details of the necessary preparatory efforts and the work involved have been passed on to the 2017 committee who have already had several meetings and have much of the preliminary items addressed and in place.
- The PowerPoint Video on Media Relations was ultimately scrapped due to a lack of support for the need for such an item.
- The list of famous Canadian Masons was completed and is accessible on the Grand Lodge website. Several newsletters and summonses across the jurisdiction have been including these in their publications.
- A list of a dozen or more key words associated with Masonry that could be used to trigger specific comments in “elevator talks” has been generated. Sample statements have been prepared and will be available on the Grand Lodge website as guides only, not as memorized statements, in order to give our members an idea of brief responses when asked about Masonry and that could lead to more in-depth discussions.
- Largely due to the 300th anniversary celebrations this year, several newspapers have been printing articles about Masonry. Some of these are the articles prepared by our Grand Historian and distributed by the 300th committee but others are a result of local events and initiatives. Copies of these articles have been forwarded to this committee from some of those lodges and districts for inclusion in the Grand Lodge scrap book. The team is still looking for a volunteer to undertake the task of maintaining these scrap books.

As chairman of the Public Awareness Team, I would like to extend my personal thanks and appreciation to the members of the committee as well as those brethren who have assisted with the work of the team. Your efforts and your input prove ever valuable.

Respectfully submitted.

RON FINDLATER, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE E-MAIL DISTRIBUTION TEAM

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & AM. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The E-mail Distribution Team is a functional team, fulfilling a mandate of supporting and promoting the various initiatives of our Districts, Committees, Lodges and other groups within our Grand Jurisdiction, through the timely dissemination of information and facilitation of communications between each constituent group. It is with pride that we were able to facilitate the tremendous work of our various Grand Lodge Committees, Teams, Districts and Lodges, particularly during this historic year, the observance of the 300th Anniversary of the formation of the United Grand Lodge of England.

With the assistance of the District Deputy Grand Masters, we were enabled to assemble a comprehensive database of email addresses for all current Grand Lodge Officers and District Secretaries, so as to establish a broadcast network for the distribution

of information in a timely manner. These brethren were also of tremendous assistance in providing their District Trestleboards for distribution throughout the Grand Jurisdiction and posting on the Grand Lodge Website. They also assisted in sending all announcements to the lodges and brethren of their respective Districts.

Our Team's primary ongoing function continued to be the delivery of information and announcements through a series of Digests; one dedicated to Events and the other to Resource Materials. These were generally published on a monthly basis, but more frequently when necessary. In addition, the Team was pleased to publish a number of special Communiques to assist the brethren with the distribution of time sensitive and high priority items, which included support of our Grand Master and Deputy Grand Master, with important broadcast announcements and targeted distributions to specific segments of our governance and membership. We were also pleased to support the Management Committee and Committee Chairmen with the distribution and implementation of the newly-developed Communications Distribution Policy and subsequently assisting our brethren with compliance therewith. Other initiatives such as the new Social Media Policy, the 300th Anniversary ad hoc Committee and the Sankey Lecture Series were also supported by your E-mail Distribution Team.

Lastly, we were pleased to be able to assist in fielding a number of incoming inquiries from brethren of every part of our Jurisdiction, assisting them in directing their inquiries to the correct committee Chairman or Team Leader and also facilitating their efforts to obtain approval and ultimately distribute announcements of events held at the local, lodge and district levels.

Respectfully submitted.

PETER J. SIALTSIS, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE ONTARIO MASON MAGAZINE TEAM

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & AM. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Since the release of the first issue of the new digital version of the Ontario Mason Magazine feedback through the magazine email has allowed the team to shape the future of upcoming issues to reflect what the readers want to see. The need for content from the districts of the Province of Ontario as well as feedback from these districts is paramount in the sustainability and direction of the magazine moving forward.

In the Winter 2017 issue of the OMM released February 28, 2017 the second Masonic Essay contest in conjunction with the College of Freemasonry was promoted, as well as the 300th Anniversary of Freemasonry. The winning essays will be printed in the Spring issue of the magazine.

Over the last year two members of the committee resigned and moved on. The magazine will be looking for a few suitable Masons to assist with editing and review of articles and the magazine. An ad to this effect will appear in a future issue of the magazine.

The magazine will continue to reflect the needs of Grand Lodge and promote Masonry in Ontario.

Respectfully submitted.

DAN DIGNARD, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BENEVOLENCE

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

On behalf of the Grand Lodge Benevolence Committee I am pleased to issue this report for the year ended April 30, 2017.

I am pleased to report that the Committee reviewed and approved 8 Applications for Benevolence resulting in total grants paid out of \$32,020. In addition to the forgoing and in accordance with past policy, Christmas Gifts of \$50 each totaling \$500 were paid to past 10 recipients.

Many of the Applications were the result of medical issues that created financial difficulties for the recipients. In two instances funds were specifically directed to the purchase of assistive devices for Senior Brethren who otherwise may have gone without these aids.

You will be gratified to know that lodges also contributed to the requests. In one instance a Lodge, the District and Masons at large raised funds in well in excess of \$10,000 to assist the family of a relatively young Mason, with a life ending disease. Grand Lodge Benevolence provided the maximum amount permitted to any one recipient, during a Masonic year, to this cause.

Two projects which commenced this year are nearing completion. The Benevolence Application requires revision as the existing format left many unanswered questions for the Committee, when reviewing a request. The Benevolence Booklet is also being revised. It is recommended that the completed versions of each be made available as a PDF download from the Grand Lodge Web Site.

The Committee utilized teleconference facilities exclusively to consider and provide responses to applications in a timely manner.

Committee members were invited to make presentations in Lodges regarding Benevolence. The Lodges involved this year were located in Waterloo, Sudbury, Ottawa and Powassan.

Detailed financial information regarding the Memorial Fund (aka "Benevolence") can be found in the Auditors Report and Financial Statements of "Grand Lodge" for the year ended April 30, 2017. The Constitution limits the amount that can be distributed in any one year to the net income from Investments (Interest and Dividends). Donations from the membership are encouraged as are legacy gifts.

The participation and contribution of Lodges, and their membership, both in time assisting members in need and providing funding to same, at the local level, is gratefully appreciated and acknowledged.

The District Benevolence Chairmen provide a vital service by: approving applications before they are submitted to Grand Lodge; advising Lodges on Benevolence and encouraging donations to the Benevolence Fund.

The Committee would like to express their appreciation to Mrs. Stacey Birks, of our Grand Lodge Staff, for her work and diligent assistance and to the Supervisor of Benevolence, M.W. Bro. Terence Shand, for his wisdom and guidance.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Committee: R.W. Bro. Leonard Bedford (Belleville), R.W. Bro. Thomas Hogeboom (Napanee), R.W. Bro. Robert E. Kerr (Grimsby), R.W. Bro. Paul Mullen (London), V.W. Bro James A. Keith (Ottawa), V.W. Bro. Joe Whiteley (Guelph), W. Bro. Michael Millard (North Bay) and Bro. Brian Patterson (Newmarket).

PAUL SKAZIN, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE LODGE RESOURCES COMMITTEE

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I am pleased to present an introductory report on the activities of the five teams working within the Lodge Resources Committee, those five teams and team leaders are:

Brother to Brother- R.W. Bro. Leyland Muss
 Friend to Friend/Mentorship- R.W. Bro. Keith Jones
 Cornerstone Project- R.W. Bro. Art Di Cecco
 Leadership Development- R.W. Bro. Charlie Woods
 Officer Progression- R.W. Bro. Perry McConnell

The five teams have been very active this Masonic year, detailed reports of each of the teams activities and accomplishments will be found under the team name elsewhere in this Preliminary Report.

Summary

Getting the message of the benefits of the various programs out to the members in the jurisdiction was a priority for the Lodge Resources Team, as such the Team Leaders and their committee members participated in the Seminar and Workshops Road show this year, doing workshops in, Peterborough District in Omemee, Algoma District in Thunder Bay, Toronto and York Districts, Ottawa District 1 and 2, Georgian North and South in Orillia, Niagara A and B, and Western District in Kenora. I would like to extend my thanks to the R.W. Bro. Les Armstrong and the Seminars and Workshops team for arranging the dates and venues, as well as to the District Deputy Grand Masters who host us this year. In addition to the mentioned workshops many of the Team Leaders presented their committee initiatives at various Lodges and district sponsored event, in such places as Innerkip, Brockville, and Sarnia.

Tactical Plan 2016-03 Engagement and Retention

As Chairmen I was assigned the Engagement and Retention tactical plan project, knowing that R.W. Bro. John Forster and a team from Ottawa District 1 and 2 were also developing an Engagement and Retention strategy, it seemed a natural fit to work together. The Ottawa group through a district workshop in the fall and a survey in late winter hoped to use the data to develop a strategy, as of the date for the tactile plan close out we did not feel we had enough data, as many Lodges have been slow to return their surveys, or enough time to develop a strong deliverable to roll out to other district, we very much feel that this will bear fruit. As such I have asked the Strategic Planning Committee to consider carrying this plan over as part of the 2017 Tactical Plan Projects.

Conclusion

I would like to conclude by offering my heartfelt thanks and gratitude to the team leaders, R.W. Bro's. Muss, Woods, Di Cecco, McConnell and Jones for their hard work and dedication to the work of our Grand Lodge. As well as to the Grand Master M.W. Bro John Green, the Grand Secretary M.W. Bro. Terence Shand and the Deputy Grand Master R.W. Bro Paul Todd for their help support and guidance. Together I feel we had a great year!

Respectfully submitted.

BARRY F. BURCHILL, Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The plans of the Leadership Development Committee for the Masonic year 2016-17 were to focus on the following:

- A. Continue with the five core areas of leadership development, delivering the material as modules and/or workshops:
 1. Emotional Intelligence – an enabling competency which enables a leader to be more effective. Dr. Nancy Lucas' material – with her permission – was posted on the GL website.
 2. Team Building is an essential part of effective leadership. Dr. Ken Jones has been consulting with the LDC for the last three years, has spoken at three Masonic Education Conferences and has given us permission to use his material.
 3. Communications – a video was completed on this important part of leadership but may need some revision this year.
 4. Conflict Resolution – private piques and quarrels are one of the most insidious and destructive occurrences in the lodges of our jurisdiction and compromise lodge harmony and productivity in spite of reason and our manifest fidelity to the beautiful charges we cherish in our ritual.
 5. Problem Solving and Decision Making uses analytical skills. We plan to continue working on the presentation package and incorporating the work of Steven Covey's "The Seven Habits of Highly Effective People", spheres of influence, etc.
- B. Develop an initiative started by R.W. Bro. Elliott Zovighian, and R.W. Bro. Joe DeMello, PDDGMs of Toronto Don Valley District, wherein the DDGM asks each of the lodges in the district to submit the names of one or two "hot pots" (high potential) leaders to attend a dinner, followed by a Leadership Program, then doing a survey. This has the potential to improve the number and quality of potential DDGM candidates as well as test the LDC material before a live audience.
- C. Some thought is being given to the possibility of holding an annual Leadership Development Seminar/Conference as a one-day event.

During the Masonic year the following presentations were done:

- Relating to "B" above, the Leadership Development Committee arranged a presentation in Markham on October 17, 2016, with Emotional Intelligence and Situational Leadership to 15 high potential leadership candidates ("hot pots") identified by senior Masons in Toronto Don Valley District. In addition, there were 9 observers present. There was a lot of interesting discussion and the survey showed a 95% approval of the topics "Emotional Intelligence" and "Situational Leadership". The survey also showed that the brethren felt that "Conflict Resolution" was a foremost concern.
- The Team Leader, R.W. Bro. Charles Woods, made presentations on "Emotional Intelligence" and "Situational Leadership" on November 19, 2016, to 20 – 25 brethren of Algoma District in Thunder Bay. The numbers would have been greater had it not been for a severe snowstorm which closed many roads in the area. This presentation was hosted by R.W. Bro. Robert Manz, a fellow member of the Board of

General Purposes from Thunder Bay. The response to the presentations was very positive and lively.

- On November 30, 2017, R.W. Bro. Charles Woods, the Team Leader, made a presentation on Leadership Development to about 27 brethren at the Toronto West Masonic Centre at Annette Street in the Toronto West District. This meeting was hosted by the DDGM, R.W. Bro. Manoj Dave. Again, there was lively discussion during the Question and Answer period.
- On March 14, 2017, R.W. Bro. Charles Woods, the Team Leader, made a presentation on Leadership Development to approximately 40 brethren in Victoria District at Faithful Brethren Lodge No. 77 in Lindsay. Once more, the stormy weather prevented some brethren from attending but there was animated discussion during the Q and A session.
- There was also a similar presentation to the Markham “Hot Pots” session held at Oak Branch Lodge No. 261, Innerkip, on April 13, 2017, for Wilson North, Wilson South and Brant Districts. This was hosted by R.W. Bro. James Harrison, DDGM of Wilson North District and accompanying him was R.W. Bro. Fred Sebring, DDGM of Brant District. The presentations were done by R.W. Bros. Charles Woods, the Team Leader, Elliot Zovighian and Joe DeMello, Team members. V.W. Bro. Dan Hutt, Team member, was in attendance as well. Approximately 30 brethren attended this presentation with a very favourable and positive response as evidenced by the surveys which were returned.

A seminar on Leadership Development is planned by the Committee in Toronto East District on Saturday, May 13, 2017, to be held at the Chisholm Temple, Toronto East Masonic Centre, hosted by R.W. Bro. Gerald Newall. The Committee will also discuss “Conflict Resolution as it Pertains to Masonic Lodges”.

Leadership Development should have a higher priority in supporting and growing leaders within the Craft – we are terribly mistaken in believing that Officer Progression magically confers leadership qualities and ability upon those aspiring to the Master’s Chair or those who have completed the constitutionally required Past Master’s Course in order to qualify for election to a Grand Lodge office. The Masonic Craft is the oldest adult learning institution in the world that develops leaders and, while we as brethren benefit from that fact, it would be at our own peril that we sit on our proverbial “laurels” and take leadership for granted. While leadership, it is agreed, cannot be taught, it can be learned and developed. Leaders are not born as leaders, they are made, like everything else in the world, by hard work and education. “Leadership and Learning are indispensable to each other” (President John F. Kennedy).

Our Committee feels that our main focus for the near future should also include “Conflict Resolution as it pertains to Masonic situations” as many brethren have expressed concern that “private piques and quarrels” are far too insidious and destructive to the harmony, happiness and well-being of the brethren in the Lodges and Districts within our Jurisdiction.

I wish to thank and commend the Leadership Development Team members, W. Bro. David Lewis, V.W. Bro. Dan Hutt, R.W. Bros. Elliot Zovighian, Joe DeMello, David Neave and Geoffrey Allan for their dedication and hard work on behalf of Grand Lodge in fulfilling their duties on this Committee. It has been a very pleasant and educational experience working with these fine brethren.

Respectfully submitted.

CHARLES A. WOODS, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON BROTHER TO BROTHER

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & AM. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The Brother to Brother Team has five-5-objectives this year. They are:

- Promoting the 5 Steps to Application
- How to Memorize Ritual
- Project 2015-3 Development of a Unified Resource
- Review and Update the B2B section of the Lodge Resources Manual
- Continue to publish the B2B Nuggets

Objective 1: Promoting the 5 Steps to Application

The above presentation was very well received where ever it was presented during the year. Some of the districts that the program was presented included Belleville, London East and West, Toronto East, Toronto Humber Valley, Ontario and Sarnia. Our team will be presenting to the Western District in Kenora in May. We also presented the Rusty Mason and the Lodge Greeters Programs to the Toronto Humber Valley District.

We are now pursuing discussions to make a web based video that can be used by all lodges/districts in order for them to show the video to their members at any time they so choose.

Objective 2: How to Memorize Ritual

Memorizing Ritual has been identified as the second most cited reason in a 2013 survey why masons leave the craft before completing their second degree. Memorizing ritual is mostly a process of knowing how to memorize. We have therefore designed a Memorization Module with "Learning Styles" which indicate the way one absorbs information. Everyone learns slightly differently by perceiving information through Visual, Auditory, or Kinaesthetic (physical) filters. A self-assessment questionnaire that uses the VAK tool, if answered honestly, will tell you which style best fits you.

In addition we have adapted a talk on Learning Ritual by R.W. John Forester who is not only a fine ritualist but also a stage actor. This Memorization Module will be on the Grand Lodge website.

We also updated and added to the 1996 Grand Lodge publication "*A Functional Pronouncing Glossary of the Work*" as words needing some attention. This will also be on the Grand Lodge website.

Objective 3: Project 2015-3 Development of a Unified Resource

This is a continuation of the 2015 project when we completed the Entered Apprentice document last year which is on Grand Lodge's website. The Fellowcraft section of the website was developed with a slightly different approach than the Entered Apprentice section. The Fellowcraft section has been divided into three parts:

- General articles about Masonry
- More detailed articles regarding the First Degree
- Articles about the Second Degree

Since the Fellowcraft section is within the Members Section, more explicit details could be provided to the candidate. Thus, the articles regarding the First and Second Degrees provide the candidate with deeper understanding of the degrees and the general articles provide the candidate with greater understanding of the Craft. Each article contains questions to consolidate the knowledge and to provide for discussion with the lodge mentor.

We have proposed extending the project for another year to allow us to create the pages for Master Masons following the model we have devised.

Objective 4: Review and update the B2B section of the Lodge Resources Manual

This objective was not completed due to personal difficulties of the Project Leader.

Objective 5: Continue to publish the B2B Nuggets

Each issue of the B2B Nuggets is intended to focus on one element of the B2B program which is designed to retain, revitalize and renew membership. Monthly articles have been published in the Resources Digest. Based on feedback, these articles have been well received by lodges.

My sincere appreciation is extended to the members of my team for their commitment and assistance in all our endeavours.

Respectfully submitted.

LEYLAND A. MUSS, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE FRIEND TO FRIEND/MENTOR TEAM

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & AM. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

We believed that the Friend to Friend program can grow Lodge membership and the Mentor program when applied can keep those new members interested and Past Masters engaged.

As a starting point for the Friend to Friend/Mentor committee, the province was divided into 5 regions, north, east, south, west & central with each committee member being assign a region and responsibility to communicate with the Districts in their regions.

To implement our plan we put a structure in place where we could promote the benefits of these programs and provide any necessary information to the District Deputy Grand Masters, their District Chairman and though them to the Lodges.

Using the District Trestle Boards we contacted the District Chairs and requested they gather the names of the Lodge's F2F/Mentors Chairs in their District.

We then sent the Grand Lodge F2F manual and the updated Mentors booklet to them to distribute to the Lodges. We advise them that our committee members would be available to give seminars and/or attend Districts holding a F2F/Mentors meeting where travel and dates permit.

As of this writing Grand Lodge has received 14 applications for dispensation from Lodges to hold a F2F event. We have heard that there are Lodges who have held F2F type events without dispensation.

For the most part Lodges do use either all or parts of the Grand Lodge F2F manual, but some Lodges do have their own script which seems to work for them.

We have not yet retrieved enough data to comment fairly, but it would seem that these F2F events do have a positive effect.

Our committee received very few invitations to make a presentation. Those where we did present were very well received although the numbers were lower than expected.

I personally thank the members of the Friend to Friend / Mentors Committee; R.W. Bro. Chris Johnston in Sarnia, R.W. Bro. Richard Loomes in Ottawa, V.W. Bro. Malcolm Parish in Burlington, W. Bro. James E. Brien in North Bay for all their efforts and we thank the Grand Master for the opportunity to have served Grand Lodge.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Friend to Friend / Mentors Committee.

KEITH JONES, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE OFFICER PROGRESSION TEAM

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & AM. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

A booklet has been produced that brings together under one cover much of the information that has been requested by Lodges and individuals in the past and the goal of the Committee this year was to take that publication out to the Districts and individual Lodges in the form of Seminars and Lectures. A coordinated approach in conjunction with other committees within Lodge Resources, particularly Brother to Brother and Craft Stewardship, teaming with seminars and Workshops, as to time and place hopefully was established in order to draw the attention of the members this year and prove successful in the delivery of this material.

Currently the booklet is an accumulation of the following sections that every officer should be familiar with on his journey to the East and includes, for example, Introduction to Robert's Rules of Order, suggested duties of officers from the "Book of the Work" and "Book of Installation", Junior and Senior Deacon's Floor Work Module, Guidelines for the Examination of the Master Elect and examples of letters to the incoming candidates for the various positions in Lodge. The power point presentation is an accumulation of seventy slide pages.

Four scheduled seminars in various parts of the jurisdiction were delivered by the Committee members with excellent responses from the attendees. In cases where there were areas not currently well served by a member of the committee the material was made available for easy delivery by the District Deputy Grand Master or a member of the Lodge itself. It was also one of the committee's goals to keep the information up to date and be able to replace or add to the booklet electronically or in hard copy where applicable.

The committee initially corresponded with the 2016/2017 DDGM in each District by email as soon as the addresses were made available to offer our services and to send each of them an electronic version of the material. They were then able to forward it on to their Lodges in their District or have them contact us for their own copies.

The overall goal and main objective was to deliver this material and present it in person as often as possible since we realized that many Lodges have minor differences in the way their officer's duties are expected to be carried out and by offering this material in a simplified and more straight forward approach the end result was re-establishing the standard used across the jurisdiction.

Respectfully submitted.

PERRY MCCONNELL, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE CORNERSTONE TEAM

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & AM. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

On behalf of the Grand Lodge Cornerstone Committee, I am pleased to report on its progress and activity during this Masonic year.

The Committee has continued to build on the fine work of the past Team Leaders and Committees that have served the Cornerstone Program. The focus of the Committee has been to continue to refine the tools and methods of promoting the Program, and to establish a strong and vital representation of the Cornerstone Program within all areas of our Grand Jurisdiction.

The initial focus was to advance the tracking of the Constituent Lodges that are current and/or past participants of the Cornerstone Program. To that end, a tracking format has been developed and populated with past and current available data. Its effect has allowed a more visual overview of the local and regional representation of the Program, and to identify trends, strengths and weaknesses in enrollment and participation. Some of our key indicators include the following;

- Over the past reporting periods of 2012, 2014 and 2016, the number of Lodges who successfully received their Cornerstone Designation has increased by over 15 percent over each reporting period.
- By the end of the reporting period of 2016, over 85 percent of the Lodges participating in the Cornerstone Project are repeat participants in the Program. These Lodges have proud claim to two or more continuous Cornerstone Designations, suggesting a strong realization of the inherent values of the Cornerstone Program once a Lodge is successfully enrolled in the Program.
- Over 80 percent of our Districts have Lodges that are currently enrolled and actively participating in the Cornerstone Program. Each of these Districts has a designated District Cornerstone Committee headed by a District Cornerstone Chairmen. A strong indicator that over 80 percent of our Districts have incorporated the Cornerstone Program as part of their District agenda.
- We are also noting a substantial enrollment increase in the Cornerstone Program where 45 percent of the current Letters of Intent received, for the collective reporting periods of 2017, 2018 and 2019, are from Lodges enrolling in the Cornerstone Program for the first time. This suggests a growing general interest and commitment to the Program.
- Overall enrollment as of the end of March of this year, show 53 Lodges enrolled for the 2017 reporting period, 76 Lodges enrolled for the 2018 reporting period and 13 Lodges enrolled for the 2019 reporting period; These summaries suggest a 20% overall increase in Lodges currently participating in the Cornerstone Program.

The Committee maintains that personal interaction, promotion through visitation, and presentations prove to be most effective in relaying the benefits and values of the Cornerstone Project. To date, presentations and workshops have been well received in London East District, London West District, Wilson North District, Niagara 'A' District, Niagara 'B' District, York District, Toronto Don Valley District, Toronto West District, Toronto East District, with additional presentations slated for Ottawa District 1, Western, Algoma and Algoma East Districts.

A special note of gratitude to the District Deputy Grand Masters, their District Cornerstone Chairmen, and the Lodge Cornerstone Chairman. The indicators noted above are a direct result of their hard work and commitment in promoting the benefits of the Cornerstone Program to the Brethren of their Lodges. I also extend my appreciation to our Regional Representatives; R.W. Bro. Rob Parker, R.W. Bro. Nezam Soltanzadeh and W. Bro. Dennis Saikaley for their valued assistance and support.

In summary, the Committee is pleased with the ongoing activity and progress of the Cornerstone Program, and we look forward to continue working with the Brethren of our Jurisdiction towards its continued success.

Respectfully submitted.

ART DI CECCO, Team Leader

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON PROTOCOL AND ETIQUETTE

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & AM. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

The Ritual is the foundation and framework of our Order. As directed by Section 7 of our Constitution, no individual Mason can change it, (with the exception of the Ritual Committee). It is sacrosanct, unerring and inviolable.

In contrast, Protocol and Etiquette is nothing more than a set of guidelines – but they are not ordinary guidelines. As described in *The Masonic Manual*, most are necessary. Certain traditions, landmarks, customs, usages, laws, edicts and regulations have evolved through the ages to form these guidelines. They are meant to govern our behaviour in Lodge and even in life. These rules of good manners are designed to make our lodge meetings pleasant and respectful for everyone. Just as importantly, good manners earn you respect from Masons and non-Masons alike. They are a trait that people will fondly remember about you forever.

No one can dispute that some Protocol and Etiquette guidelines carry more weight than others. Some guidelines fall into the realm of mere common courtesy. Others are simply rules based upon a long and successful usage. Where no such rules have been formulated at all, whether in writing or by tradition, the good taste and sensitive feelings of the individual Brother remain as our only guidance.

Protocol and Etiquette, therefore, has no distinct and unvarying boundaries. You may think of P&E as a concept, an agreed set of standards so everyone does the same thing, a set of rules to govern our behaviour in most situations, to bring about uniformity throughout our Grand Jurisdiction.

As was so eloquently expressed by the late R.W. Bro. Henry G. Meacham, a former Grand Lecturer of the Grand Lodge of New York, who was such an inspiration to me and a countless number of other Masons:

"There is a certain grave beauty in the practice of Masonic etiquette. The Masonic life as it is lived out in our assemblies is a conscious work of art, with each and every part coordinated to every other, and instinct with the feeling of the whole.

If a man enters into that system without preparation or forethought, and trusting only his instincts, his manner will strike an awkward note, like a discord jangling across a strain of music; but if he has trained himself in his part and caught the spirit of the whole, the genius of Freemasonry will shine through his actions, and will express itself through ritual, symbol, law, philosophy, fellowship and daily deed.

To have one's self thus become a part of a great and living whole is a kind of satisfying pleasure nothing else can give, a participation in the very life of beauty, appreciated as much by the beholders as by the actor. This ability to confer pleasure upon one's fellows when gathered in communication or in ceremony is not the least of etiquette's rewards."

The mandate of the P&E Committee is to communicate those standards of Protocol and Etiquette which are applicable in our Grand Jurisdiction, thereby creating a heightened awareness of them and to assist the brethren in becoming competent in them.

We endeavour to carry out our mandate by making presentations throughout the Province, by preparing and distributing educational material, and by responding to a multitude of questions from the brethren.

Our most successful initiative to date has been the electronic distribution of a monthly educational bulletin called *P&E Essentials*. It is estimated that over 10,000 brethren read each Issue, including Masons in Newfoundland, Nova Scotia, Quebec, Saskatchewan, Alberta, British Columbia, the United States, Europe, and even in Asia. The key to its success has been its easy-to-read, easy-to-download, and easy-to-distribute

format. We are most grateful for the assistance of our District Deputy Grand Masters and so many of our Lodge Secretaries in the distribution effort.

Now that the committee's tenth year of activity is coming to a close, it is a pleasure to report that there is a very strong awareness of the importance of Protocol and Etiquette in each of our 43 Districts. Our standards have definitely improved.

The questions asked by brethren – at our presentations, by telephone and by e-mail – about all aspects of P&E, reflect their genuine desire to learn our standards and to practise them correctly. This year we also witnessed a commendable depth and complexity to the questions that were raised.

Formal requests for the Committee to conduct a P&E presentation reached an all-time high this year. Over 30 separate P&E presentations were conducted throughout the Province by Committee members during the twelve month period ending in July, 2017. Both the interest levels and the attendance at these workshops and seminars were most encouraging.

The Committee continues to address the importance of specific aspects of Protocol and Etiquette in our presentations, namely:

- The Masonic Memorial Services;
- The Reception of Grand Lodge Officers;
- Banquet Hall Protocol;
- The Ceremony of Installation and Investiture;
- The Committee of Inquiry; and
- How to Conduct the Ballot.

Comprehensive educational guidelines have been developed by the Committee for all of these topics. These guidelines are designed to complement and expand upon those contained within our Grand Lodge's two primary texts: *Meeting The Challenge* and *The Masonic Manual*.

Hard copies of our Committee-produced educational documents are made available to brethren who attend our presentations. They can also be found on the Grand Lodge web site, as well as on several District and Lodge web sites. Many copies have been distributed electronically.

The task facing the Committee since its formation in 2007 has been an immense one. It will likely never be complete. However, our approach of using the electronic medium of web sites and e-mail messaging, together with the more personal "hands-on" venue of District and Lodge workshops, appears to be fairly effective.

The pleasure of addressing this formidable task was considerably enhanced by the opportunity of working with an outstanding and accomplished Committee. The following brethren have deservedly earned my deep appreciation – and hopefully yours as well – for all their efforts and contributions: **R.W. Bros.** David Purvis (*Secretary*), Howard Adams, Saliem Khoury, Michael Litvak, George McCowan, James Pearson, Kennard Pratt and David Stevens, together with **V.W. Bros.** Bryan Middleton and George Pohle.

The P&E Committee reports directly to the Custodian of the Work. All of our material is reviewed by him before it is disseminated. A significant number of the questions we receive from the brethren are referred to him. We also endeavour to keep him fully-informed about all our activities.

On behalf of the Committee, I would like to express our sincere appreciation to **M.W. Bro. D. Garry Dowling**, Past Grand Master and Custodian of the Work, for all the assistance he has provided to us during this and in previous Masonic years. He has been a outstanding resource, mentor, and friend.

Respectfully submitted on behalf of the Committee,

GORDON CRUTCHER, Chairman

CALLED ON
Grand Lodge resumed labour at 8:45 a.m.
On Thursday, July 20, 2017

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON CREDENTIALS

This Report was presented by R.W. Bro. D. Roberts, Chairman, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded By R.W. Bro. D. Roberts, it was adopted.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

Your Committee on Credentials begs to report: There are on the Register of Grand Lodge Warranted Lodges represented at this Communication:

By Regular Officers.....	336
By Proxies	100
By Past Masters	32
TOTAL LODGES REPRESENTED.....	486
TOTAL NUMBER OF DELEGATES REGISTERED.....	1,957
WITH A TOTAL VOTE OF	2,683

All of which is fraternally submitted.

DOUGLAS E. ROBERTS, Chairman

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE OF SCRUTINEERS

This Report, presented by .V.W. Bro. K. D. Nickerson, Chairman, was received and approved on motion of the Deputy Grand Master, seconded by V.W. Bro. Nickerson.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

We have counted the ballots deposited in the ballot boxes under our control in accordance with the instructions given to us by the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario. The ballots therein show the results of the election as follows:

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| • Grand Master | Paul E. TODD |
| • Deputy Grand Master | David J. CAMERON |
| • Grand Senior Warden | Nicholaus PAWLUCH |
| • Grand Junior Warden | Elito LIM |
| • Grand Registrar | Dennis M. SAIKALEY |
| • Board of General Purposes: | |
| • | Howard ADAMS |
| • | Perry M. J. MCCONNELL |
| • | Jim SERCOMBE |
| • | Paul SKAZIN |

- George M. WARNER
- John F. FORSTER (for one-year)

Respectfully and fraternally submitted.

KRIS D. NICKERSON, Chairman

THANKS

The Grand Master extended his sincere thanks to R.W. Bro. D. Roberts, Chairman and Committee on Credentials, their committee personnel; and V.W. Bro. George F. Benton, Chairman of the Committee of Scrutineers, and their personnel.

The Grand Master declared the above brethren duly elected.

REPORT OF THE AWARDS COMMITTEE (William Mercer Wilson Medal)

This Report was presented by M.W. Bro. R. E. Groshaw, Chairman, seconded by the Deputy Grand Master, and received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Once again each member of the Awards Committee is astonished by the caliber of the reports received regarding those long standing Master Masons who have been proposed by respective lodges as suitable for the William Mercer Wilson Award.

The following dedicated and diligent Craft Masons, who have been unanimously deemed suitable by the committee to receive this prosperous award by our Grand Lodge, are: In alphabetical order:

1. David Bernard Arnold
2. Lawrence Grant Boundy
3. Kenneth Earl Jewitt
4. Norman G. Lapointe

Respectfully and fraternally submitted on behalf of the committee.

R. E. GROSHAW, Chairman

M.W. Bro. R. E. Groshaw was appointed a member of the Awards Committee for a three year term.

REPORT OF THE GRAND HISTORIAN

This Report was presented by V.W. Bro. S. Michael Jenkyns, Grand Historian, and on motion of the Deputy Grand Mater, it was received.

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

I would like to thank you, M.W. Bro. Green, for honoring me with the office and title of Grand Historian. This report is submitted in accordance with the book of Constitution which requires the Grand Historian "to record matters that are connected with the history of Freemasonry in Ontario."

My activities during the past year have been challenging and interesting. For the only time in all our lifetimes, we are celebrating the Tercentenary of the formation of the first, or premier, Grand Lodge of England. What we all accept as the mother Grand Lodge of Freemasonry. During this time I was pleased to be invited to speak at several venues and to prepare a series of newspaper articles to explain our Fraternity—its history and our present-day activities—to the public.

Freemasonry as we understand it moved out in waves from the British Isles and spread across the globe during this three centuries. For us it arrived on our eastern shores with explorers, fishermen, military personnel and people searching for a place to live in peace and raise their families. It spread, like knowledge as described in our ritual, from east to west. Early records refer to the holding of “occasional lodges” on the shores of Newfoundland, by fisherman from Poole, in Dorset, in the 1730s. And the earliest permanent Lodge at Placentia dates from 1746. Perhaps only a toe-hold, but indicative of the laying of a base.

On the mainland of the future Canada the first permanent Lodge dates from 1738 at Annapolis (although there is some indication of the holding of a lodge in the 40th Foot as early as 1721 when it was formed there). Freemasonry would grow and spread through the Maritimes and across the British territory which had previously been New France and would become the provinces of Quebec and Ontario. We have surviving documents showing that membership in the Craft at this time was held by members and staff of government, the legal profession, businessmen and farmers, clergymen, and members of the important military forces which defended our borders and ensured peace within them. Following the capture of New France in 1759-60 the spread westwards of immigrants and Freemasonry would continue.

Our Grand Lodge was the first to be formed in the future country of Canada (October 11, 1855 in Hamilton, Canada West) although its original title of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada reflected its position as the Grand Lodge of the Province of Canada (Canada East and Canada West). It also explains why, after the 1880's and the formation of other Grand Lodges in Canada's Provinces, we added the suffix “in the Province of Ontario.” But, like June 24, 1717, it was the first and marked the beginning of our formal and sovereign masonic governments through grand lodges across this country of Canada. Freemasons continued to be found in all parts of Canada's society. And from its central position in our country, our Grand Lodge assisted in the movement of the Fraternity westwards—Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta (British Columbia and Yukon being formed and influenced by masons from California, Alberta and Australia). Our Grand Lodge would establish “Canadian freemasonry” abroad, albeit for a short time: in the Middle East (The Royal Solomon Mother Lodge, No. 293 GRC, Jerusalem, Palestine: 1873-1902) and Afghanistan (Canada Lodge UD GRC, Kandahar Airfield: 2010-2014).

This month of our Grand Lodge's Annual Communication is also a time to remember that Freemasons were supportive of the move for Confederation—from the debates at Charlottetown, Quebec and London—and the formation of a country of four provinces, to our present ten provinces and three Territories. Our Grand Lodge supported the formation of Grand Lodges in these Provinces following the political decisions to join confederation.

Until the late nineteenth century, with its great proliferation of masonic bodies, Freemasonry was seen in the community. Masonic Halls were often loaned to local groups for a minimal cost (or often free) to allow them a place to meet. Freemasons had public parades (often twice a year to celebrate the feasts of the two Saints John) and funeral parades. And the laying of cornerstones of important buildings was held with great pomp and circumstance. By the middle of the twentieth century this was not seen in larger cities and only in a few towns and villages. Events like the laying of the cornerstone at the town Cenotaph in Carp (on May 28, 2016) are rare today, but very welcomed when performed, as in this case, by Freemasons and members of the Royal Canadian Legion.

Freemasonry is, today, a very extensive institution which includes components for men, women, young men and young women. We believe it helps improve and enhance their moral character to understand the essence of the concept of “service to all” as embodied in our principles of brotherly love, relief and truth. And it is, particularly, an intensely personal experience.

As we look ahead we see a period of significant social change, influenced in large measure by technology. Thanks to medical developments and improved life styles we are seeing a reduction in infant mortality and an increase in longevity which offers wonderful and interesting opportunities to us. Canada’s population growth is amongst the highest of the G8 countries and is projected to increase from 35.2 million in 2013 to a range from 40 million (low estimate) to 63.5 million (high estimate) by 2063. Fifty years!

With this ahead of us, this period can become a masonic age of innovation and change—not in our fundamental principles or morality or our need for direct social contact with one another—but using technology in aspects of program delivery. Yes, we have fallen in membership from 136,400 (1960) to 100,000 (1984), to 63,600 (2000) and to 42,200 (2014) [December 31 data as reported in our Annual Proceedings]. This decline can be reversed in some measure by bearing in mind some of the trends reported by our own Statistics Canada and acting on them. Trends include:

- In 2006 seniors accounted for 13.7% of our population but this had increased to 14.8% by 2011. We see this in our lodges where our elderly brethren are often unable or unwilling to attend. Perhaps we should be practicing mentorship in a reverse manner. By having our younger members maintain contact with elderly ones (sponsorship in reverse, in a way) and bringing our elderly members to lodge activities. For members in nursing homes, a few brethren can plan to visit and hold an “occasional” lodge with them as our brethren did in the early eighteenth century when they would meet by circumstance.

- Canada is a country of high ethnic diversity and we are one of the major immigrant-receiving countries of the world and we see this in our membership. But how often does a Lodge invite them to speak about their culture and the geography of their birthplace, perhaps with slides or photographs? What an opportunity for “armchair visitation” to foreign climes.

- Technology is replacing repetitive tasks and freeing up more and more time for all peoples in Canada and around the world. The challenge now is to channel that available time into activities to benefit both self and society. The growth of food banks, winter clothing drives for the needy, working to get homeless off the streets and into a welcoming environment, are everyday in the media. It is not just a question of providing financial support. If we are actively supporting groups involved in these areas, proudly wearing our logo of the Square and Compasses, we may attract potential members to make enquiries. It is one of the important reasons behind the June 3, 2017 “open lodges” event.

The needs are there and as we respond more visibly to assisting men, women, children, the old and the young we can take satisfaction from our own service to others. This is not to change our way of life, but to apply the fundamental principles we are taught: Brotherly Love, Relief and Truth. In this way we may demonstrate the value of belonging to, and actively participating in, this Fraternity we all love, support and enjoy.

If we do it they will come.

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What can we learn from these pulsating waves of Freemasonry? Our history shows that we can find common ground for collaborative work in a friendly atmosphere. Persistence and perseverance will prosper in the long term. People of different races, religions, nationalities and language can find common ground beneficial to all. We can accommodate diversity in society. There are many different paths to achieve the same benefits.

So mote it be!

Respectfully submitted.

MICHAEL JENKYNS, Grand Historian

Sources:

1. <http://www.thecanadianencyclopedia.ca/en/article/population/>
2. Annual Proceedings of the Grand Lodge of Ancient, Free and Accepted Masons of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

PRESENTATION OF NOTICES OF MOTION

The following Notices of Motion, presented on the floor of Grand Lodge, were duly adopted.

The amendment deals with changes to Sections 199 to Section 202 Non-Payment of Dues

The amended Section 199 reads as follows:

Section 199 Lodge dues are payable in advance. A brother shall be considered in arrears if he is default in payment of them, on the day following the due date of the current Masonic year as stipulated in the by-laws of the lodge.

The amended Section 200(a) reads as follows:

Section 200(a) A brother who neglects to pay his dues as required by the by-laws of his lodge for twelve consecutive months shall be suspended.

The amended Section 200(b) reads as follows:

A lodge, however, may by open vote remit the dues of any brother, provided a notice of motion for remission has been given at the regular meeting immediately prior to that at which the vote is taken and provided such vote is taken prior to the dues becoming twelve months in arrears.

The amended Section 200(c) reads as follows:

Section 200(c) The notice of motion must contain the amount of the dues to be remitted but shall not contain the name of the brother whose dues are being remitted.

A new subsection (d) to be added as follows:

Section 200(d) At the regular meeting of the lodge at which a brother's dues become twelve months in arrears the Secretary shall read his name and the Master shall forthwith declare him suspended for non-payment of dues. Such shall be duly recorded in the minutes of the lodge, notice of having been suspended for non-payment of dues shall be immediately sent to such brother, and the Secretary shall notify the District Deputy Grand Master and the Masonic Bureau, if a bureau exists, of such suspension. Where a Masonic bureau does not exist notice shall be given to the Secretaries of all lodges in the district.

The amended Section 201 reads as follows:

201. A brother who neglects to pay his dues shall be dealt with by his lodge for such neglect in accordance with the provisions of the Constitution of Grand Lodge.

The amended Section 202 reads as follows:

Section 202: At any time, and not later than ten months, a brother is in arrears of dues, the Secretary of the lodge shall send him notice thereof, including the amount owing, the date it was due, the date he will become twelve months in arrears, and a copy of Sections 199 to 203 of the Constitution. The notice shall be deemed served if mailed via surface delivery service to the last known address of such brother.

The amendment adds a Sub-Section to Section 298

Section 298(f) Every lodge shall have and maintain in the lodge's name a minimum of \$1,000,000.00 Commercial General Liability coverage and \$1,000,000.00 Non Owned Automobile coverage.

The following Constitution changes adopted at the Annual Communications, July 2017.

Presentations Concluded

INSTALLATION

M.W. Bro. D.H. Mumby to conduct the installation.

INSTALLATION OF THE GRAND MASTER

M.W. Bro. R. E. Groshaw presented R.W. Bro. Paul E. Todd, Grand Master-elect at the Altar, following which he was obligated by M.W. Bro. D. H. Mumby and invested by M.W. Bro. D. H. Mumby.

INVESTITURE OF THE DEPUTY GRAND MASTER

The Deputy Grand Master-elect, R.W. Bro. David J. Cameron was presented at the Altar by R.W. Bro. John P. Johnson, Grand Director of Ceremonies, and following obligation and investiture by M.W. Bro. D. A. Campbell, he was placed in the chair on the right of the Grand Master.

DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS

The Grand Secretary read the names of the following brethren who had been selected in the various district to serve as District Deputy Grand Masters.

Algoma.....	Jason R. Nesbitt	Schreiber
Algoma East.....	Harry M. Thomas.....	Sault Ste Marie
Brant.....	Michel M. Hodgson	Paris
Bruce.....	George H. Schamott.....	Port Elgin
Chatham.....	R. Marcus Hewitt.....	Bothwell
Eastern.....	Paul J. Riddell.....	Cardinal
Essex County.....	Daniel W. Chamney.....	Windsor
Frontenac.....	David W. Holton.....	Sydenham
Georgian North.....	Paul H. Kelly	Orillia
Georgian South.....	Douglas Tomlinson.....	Barrie
Grey.....	James Woods	Fergus
Hamilton A.....	Eric J. Marshall	Burlington
Hamilton B.....	Glenn T. Jarvie.....	Cayuga
Hamilton C.....	John W. Hlohinec.....	Hamilton
London East	Michael G. Brown.....	St. Thomas
London West.....	A. Brian Howard.....	London
Niagara A.....	Graeme McLoughlin.....	St. Catharines
Niagara B.....	Ronald Jordan	Port Colborne
Nipissing Muskoka.....	James Boyuk.....	Emsdale
North Huron.....	Keith P. Heydon.....	Tiverton
Ontario	John Wallace.....	Ajax
Ottawa 1	Brian P. Adams.....	Carp
Ottawa 2.....	Michael J. Nagrodski	Renfrew
Peterborough	Alan L. Baswick	Peterborough
Prince Edward	Gary Haskell	Marmora
St Lawrence.....	Michael Humes.....	Brockville
St Thomas	Douglas A. O'Neil	St. Thomas
Sarnia	Peter M. Fisher.....	Watford
South Huron.....	Friedhelm Hoffmann.....	Lucan
Sudbury-Manitoulin	Rejean A. Daigle.....	Sudbury
Temiskaming.....	Arvind K. Aggarwal.....	Kenogami
Toronto Don Valley.....	Dan Sabourin	Mississauga
Toronto East.....	Ross E. McQuat	Whitby
Toronto Humber Valley	Victor A. Tavares.....	Toronto
Toronto West.....	Gursharan S. Parmar	Mississauga
Victoria.....	Brian D. Anderson	Woodville
Waterloo.....	Frederick C. Gregory	Kitchener
Wellington.....	Gregory N. Insley.....	Guelph
Western	Colin B. McFayden.....	Dryden
Wilson North.....	Joel F. Sawyers	Ingersoll
Wilson South.....	James C. Withington.....	Tillsonburg
York	Librado G. Ibe Jr.	Toronto

Following the presentation of the D.D.G.M.s at the Altar and their confirmation by the Grand Master, they were then obligated and invested by R.W. Bro. D. Garry Dowling. The D.D.G.M.s were then introduced and presented individually to the Grand Master and Deputy Grand Master.

APPOINTMENT OF GRAND CHAPLAIN

The Grand Master announced the appointment of R.W. Bro. Blair R. Paterson as the Right Worshipful Grand Chaplain.

INVESTITURE OF OTHER OFFICERS

The other Grand Lodge Officers were the invested under direction of M.W. Bro. D. H. Mumby; the Grand Senior Warden by M.W. Bro. T. Shand; the Grand Junior Warden by M.W. Bro. R. E. Groshaw; the Grand Chaplain by M.W. Bro. A. J. Petrisor; the Grand Registrar by M.W. Bro. G. L. Atkinson; and the Grand Director of Ceremonies by M.W. Bro. D. H. Mumby.

APPOINTED MEMBERS OF THE BOARD

R.W. Bro. Howard Adams	Oakville
R.W. Bro. Perry M. J. McConnell	Manotick
R.W. Bro. Jim Sercombe	London
R.W. Bro. Paul Skazin.....	Toronto
R.W. Bro. George M. Warner	Mississauga

APPOINTMENTS TO OFFICE

Grand Dir of Ceremonies	R.W. Bro. Edward C. Denbeigh.....	Kanata
Grand Senior Deacon	V.W. Bro. David Allan Bennett	Huntsville
Grand Junior Deacon	V.W. Bro. Michael Morris	Ajax
Grand Supt of Works.....	V.W. Bro. Phillip Pilon.....	Carleton Place
Assistant Grand Secretary	V.W. Bro. Gerald Allin Stuart.....	Ajax
Assistant Grand Dir of Cers.....	V.W. Bro. Daniel Lee Richter.....	Arkona
Assistant Grand Chaplain	V.W. Bro. Alan Grant Gregory	St. Marys
Assistant Grand Chaplain	V.W. Bro. John MacDonald.....	Claremont
Assistant Grand Chaplain	V.W. Bro. Vernon Marario Regis	Etobicoke
Assistant Grand Chaplain	V.W. Bro. Brian Ross Siegfried.....	Thunder Bay
Grand Sword Bearer	V.W. Bro. Kevin Zeigler.....	Almonte
Grand Organist	R.W. Bro. George Robert Clauson.....	Ottawa
Grand Pursuivant.....	V.W. Bro. Lance Richard Mullett	Dundas

Very Worshipful Grand Stewards

Robert Alderson Alexandria
Stanlee Earle Arbuckle Kenora
James Trevor Arrindell..... Paris
Joseph Paul Bampton Ottawa
Dean Earl Bayne..... Richmond Hill
John Leonard Bezant Gananoque
Leslie Tibor Bodrogi Etobicoke
James A. Brown Brockville
John Frederick Carter Picton
Kenneth M. Collard..... Belleville
Carman Elwood Coumbs..... Haliburton
Lawrence James Craven..... Ailsa Craig
Robert George Crossley Hepworth
Ryan Crowle..... Sault Ste Marie
Gary Ralph DeGrow..... Binbrook
Rodante De Juan..... Toronto
Stewart Detenbeck..... Stratford
Colin Elwood..... Kincardine
Rene Andre Faas Lindsay
Kyrle Blake Farmer Carp
Colin Adam Louis Grier..... London
David Wayne Haslip Hamilton

Kevin Jack Hooper Fort Erie
James Gregory Horbow..... Thunder Bay
William Arthur Hughes Millbrook
Lawrence Ross Johnson Smithville
Timothy A. Larson Ottawa
Phillip Miller Laundry..... Barrie
Mervyn Lees..... Sudbury
John Richard Lloyd Toronto
Neil Lloyd Pembroke
Kent Errol MacInnes Timmins
Jeffrey Stuart Malloch Fergus
Gordon Stuart McHallam Ajax
John Murray McKague..... Woodville
Malcolm Fraser McKenzie Orono
Murray Lyle McKnight Port Dover
John James Moulard Ottawa
Paul Keith Nancekivell..... Shelburne
Jeffery Allan Noseworthy..... Ottawa
Owen Cameron Parsons Paisley
Scott Forbes Penwarden Port Colborne
David Phelan Toronto
Malcolm Preston Phillips Athens

David Wayne Plant.....	Powassan	Gary F. Tristram.....	Brockville
Curtis Gerald Ramsey	London	Murat Ulusoy.....	Elmira
Dennis Albert Neil Rankin	Toronto	William Otto Vaughan	Whitby
Norriss Jonathon Reynolds.....	Chatham	Nelson Walters	Fingal
Barry Howard Robb	Minden	Mark Steven Watson	Mississauga
Brock Hugh Shannon	Harriston	Allan Albert Weir.....	Orillia
Leo Joseph Smith	Richmond Hill	William Frank Wheeler	Elmvale
Yalcin Suer.....	Toronto	John Worman	Stoney Creek
Ralph Arnold Swan	Belleville	Christopher Wright.....	Niagara Falls
Gerald R. Thibert.....	Windsor	Alvin W. Wright.....	Palmerston

Grand Standard Bearer	V.W. Bro. Gordon Echlin	Carleton Place
Grand Standard Bearer	V.W. Bro. Donald Duncan Fraser	Ottawa
Grand Tyler	V.W. Bro. Douglas Kirby Steeves	Cobden
Grand Historian	R.W. Bro. S. Michael Jenkyns	Kanata
Grand Librarian	R.W. Bro. Lanny Ross Salmon	Caledonia
Grand Archivist	V.W. Bro. Daniel J. Glenney	Parry Sound
Grand Piper	V.W. Bro. Brian Alfred Arnold.....	London

THANKS

The Grand Master expressed his appreciation to the Committee on Arrangements for their dedicated service rendered once again this year.

Recognition of the role of this committee met with the approbation of all in attendance.

GUEST SPEAK

During the session the following distinguished guest, at the request of the Grand Master, addressed the brethren assembled:

R.W. Bro. Jean-Pierre Rollet
Deputy Grand Master
Grande Lodge of Nationale Française

M.W. Bro. Headley G. Lewis
Grand Master
Grand Lodge of Prince Hall

M.W. Bro. Joshua M. Woodwyk
Grand Master
Grand Lodge of Michigan

M.W. Bro. Cluney W. G. Vincent
Grand Master
Grand Lodge of Newfoundland & Labrador

GRAND LODGE CLOSED

Grand Lodge closed at 10:40 a.m. on Thursday, July 20, 2017

RETURNS OF LODGES AS AT DECEMBER 31ST, 2016
Lodges marked (a) hold their Installation and Investiture of Officers on or near the Festival of St. John the Evangelist, in the months from October to March inclusive, all others on or near that of St. John the Baptist, in the months from April to September inclusive. The names of the W.M. and Secretary are corrected up to October 31, 2017.

DENOTES DAYLIGHT LODGE										Initiated	Passed	Raised	Joined	Restored	Resigned	Deaths	Suspensions	Members 31 Dec 2015	Members 31 Dec 2016
No.	Lodge	Night of Meeting	Where Held	W. Master	Secy. and Address														
2	a Niagara	1st Wed	Niag-on-the-Lake	C. Gilchrist	A. Brandon, 37 Keefe Rd, Thorold L2V 4W5					5	2	1	1	0	2	2	3	147	146
3	a Ancient St. Johns	1st Thurs	Kingston	C. McLean	S. Bates, 1081 Hudson Dr, Kingston K7M 5K9					6	1	1	2	0	4	5	2	103	100
5	Sussex	3rd Mon	Brockville	D. Moore	G. Mielke, 2651 Blue Church Rd, Prescott K0E 1T0					0	2	2	0	0	1	6	0	132	125
6	a The Barton	2nd Wed	Hamilton	E. Cambridge	K. Nickerson, 65 Chesswood Trail, Hamilton L8N 2Z7					2	1	2	2	0	0	3	0	97	98
7	Union	2nd Thurs	Grimsby	S. Straughon	C. Warden, 37 Golden Blvd, St Catharines L2N 7M6					2	3	2	1	0	4	3	3	136	129
9	Union	2nd Wed	Napanee	G. Moulton	R. Norrie, 37 Angus Drive, Napanee K7R 3W9					3	0	0	0	0	1	3	0	58	57
10	a Norfolk	2nd Tues	Simcoe	K. McCune	J. Paquette, 117 Duncombe Rd, Box 1232, Waterford N0E 1Y0					2	3	4	1	0	1	4	0	118	116
11	a Belleville Moira	1st Wed	Belleville	W. Roberts	G. Stephens, 132 Foster Ave, Belleville K8N 1C8					4	2	2	2	0	2	4	0	117	117
14	True Britons'	1st Mon	Perth	J. Graff	D. Hartwell, 238 Wood Ave, Smiths Falls K7A 5G9					0	0	0	0	1	3	3	0	102	97
15	St. George's	2nd Tues	St. Catharines	S. De Haan	B. Hart, 53 Cosby Ave, St Catharines L2M 5R7					1	3	3	1	0	2	1	3	62	58
16	a St Andrew's/St Johns	3rd Tues	Toronto	I. Juric	H. Jugo, 86 Wyper Square, Toronto M1S 0B3					2	2	2	0	1	2	4	0	126	123
17	a St. John's	2nd Tues	Cobourg	K. Flesch	I. Morton, 663 Sinclair Street, Cobourg K9A 2Z1					0	0	0	0	0	4	8	8	104	85
18	a Prince Edward	1st Thurs	Picton	T. Taylor	D. Porter, 63 Lewis St, Belleville K8P 1R4					0	2	2	1	0	1	3	0	105	102
20	a St. John's	2nd Tues	London	D. Hanna	R. More, 15 Highland Place, London N6C 5E7					5	3	1	0	1	0	9	1	221	217
21a	St. John's	1st Tues	Vankleek Hill	T. Stasiuk	M. Purvis, 439 Beaurepaire Dr, Beaconsfield H9W 3C3					1	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	39	36
22	a King Solomon's	2nd Thurs	Richmond Hill	T. Terzakis	J. Aide, 2848 Glenwood Ave, Windsor N9E 2X8					3	2	1	1	0	0	2	2	93	93
23	Richmond	3rd Wed	Richmond Hill	D. Vitto	J. Galati, 71 Abner Miles Drive, Vaughan L6A 4X5					6	7	5	0	0	2	1	6	97	94
24	a St. Francis	1st Thurs	Smiths Falls	S. Lawrence	K. Almey, 328 Kelly-Jordon Rd, RR 6, Smith Falls K7A 4S7					3	3	2	1	0	4	1	0	116	115
25	a Ionic	1st Wed	Toronto	M. MacDonald	M. Pearl, 219 Marsh Street, Box 208, Clarksburg N0H 1J0					1	1	2	1	0	2	2	0	65	63

26	a Ontario.....	3rd Thurs	Port Hope	S.Cameron.....	M.Waterfall, 33 Sanders Drive, Port Hope L1A 4E9	0	0	1	3	0	2	1	0	73	73
27	a Strict Observance.....	3rd Fri.....	Stoney Creek	T.Qurashi	G.Lowry, 20 Darlington Dr, Hamilton L9C 2L7	0	0	1	1	0	1	4	2	67	61
28	Mount Zion	3rd Thurs	Kemptville.....	E.Thompson	J.Graham, 10 Emily Lauren Cr, RR 5, Kemptville K0G 1J0	7	0	0	3	1	1	2	0	103	111
29	United.....	1st Tues	Brighton.....	A.Vokes	C.Wright, 18 Lockwood Dr, Brighton K0K 1H0	1	0	0	0	1	1	5	2	55	49
30	Composite.....	Last Mon	Whitby	M.Bruneau	G.Olley, 71 The Cove Rd, Newcastle L1B 1B6	2	3	2	2	0	2	4	6	125	117
31	a Jerusalem	2nd Wed	Bowmanville	R.Akers	D.Page, 23-350 Camelot Crt, Oshawa L1G 6P7	3	4	1	0	0	1	4	0	153	151
32	Amity.....	2nd Wed	Dunnville	A.Forster	D.Madill, 170 Brookfield Blvd, Dunnville N1A 2Y4	4	3	1	1	0	1	3	1	77	77
33	Maitland	2nd Tues	Goderich	R.Govier.....	R.Murray, 193 Shore Cres, Goderich N7A 1Y5	0	0	0	3	0	1	2	0	53	53
34	a Thistle.....	1st Tues	Amherstburg.....	A.Dale	W.Atkinson, 5448 5th Concession Rd. N, Amherstburg N9V 0C8	4	3	1	1	1	5	1	1	68	67
35	a St. John's.....	1st Thurs.....	Cayuga	D.Chevrier.....	R.Gibson, 2771 Lakeshore Rd, Dunnville N1A 2W8	1	4	4	0	0	0	1	0	73	73
37	a King Hiram	1st Mon	Ingersoll.....	J.Arthur	J.Peter, 405 King St W, Ingersoll N5C 3J7	0	2	2	1	0	3	1	0	58	55
38	Trent	2nd Tues.....	Frankford.....	N.Robison	W.Robison, 95 County Rd 5, Wooler K0K 3M0	1	1	3	2	0	3	1	5	74	68
39	a Mount Zion	1st Tues	Brooklin.....	C.Barnes.....	M.Parr, 94 Queen St, Brooklin L1M 1C3	4	2	3	3	0	1	1	3	60	62
40	St. John's.....	3rd Thurs	Hamilton.....	S.Quainton	A.Quainton, 39 Woodsvie Ave, Grimsby L3M 3S8	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	3	51	48
41	a St. George's.....	1st Thurs.....	Kingsville	A.Dopson	D.McGillivray, 31 Queen St, Kingsville N9Y 1Z8	5	4	2	7	0	3	4	1	96	100
42	a St. George's.....	1st Thurs.....	London	C.Turner.....	J.Ticknor, 691 Juniper St, London N6H 3M7	5	4	0	0	0	0	2	0	68	71
43	King Solomon's.....	1st Tues	Woodstock.....	W.Visser	D.Wilton, 508 Henry Street, Woodstock N4S 1X4	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	86	80
44	St. Thomas Talbot.....	4th Thurs	St.Thomas.....	J.Lafantaisie	C.Arnot, 902-1105 Jalna Blvd, London N6E 2S9	0	0	1	1	1	6	4	5	151	138
45	Brant.....	2nd Tues.....	Brantford	D.Narejko.....	S.Frotten, 306-291 Brant Ave, Brantford N3T 5Y4	2	3	2	0	1	6	2	0	99	94
46	Wellington-Victory	2nd Tues.....	Chatham	B.Case.....	H.German, 150 Regency Dr, Chatham N7L 5J6	0	1	3	1	1	1	2	5	83	77
47	a Great Western.....	1st Thurs.....	Windsor	D.Milne	J.Dyrda, 1652 Cadillac St, Windsor N8Y 2V5	3	2	4	0	1	0	0	0	75	79
48	Central Hastings.....	3rd Tues.....	Madoc.....	T.Leonard.....	E.Sandford, 113 McKenzie St, Box 835, Madoc K0K 2K0	0	1	0	1	2	4	5	1	140	133
50	a Consecon	4th Thurs	Consecon	J.Harvey.....	D.Harvey, Box 308, Carrying Place K0K 1L0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	51	50
52	Dalhousie.....	1st Tues	Ottawa	M.Rust	E.Jameson, 19 Charnwood Crt, Nepean K2E 7C9	3	2	0	0	1	2	2	0	75	75

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54	a Maple.....	2nd Tues.....	Maple	C.Tucci.....	D.Lane, 95 Luba Ave, Richmond Hill L4S 1G7					7	2	2	0	0	2	0	3	59	61
55	Merrickville	3rd Fri.....	Burritts Rapids.....	J.Coulter	R.Miller, 7627 Settler's Way, North Gower K0A 2T0					3	2	2	1	0	3	0	1	47	47
56	a Victoria.....	1st Tues	Sarnia	M.Kern.....	J.Spelay, 983 Cathcart Blvd, Sarnia N7S 2H3					2	1	2	1	1	7	3	1	100	137
57	Harmony	2nd Wed	Binbrook	S.Johnson	M.Burke, 145 Wigton Street, Caledonia N3W 1E9					3	1	2	0	1	2	3	2	49	46
58	Doric.....	3rd Thurs.....	Ottawa	A.Thomson	D.Charron, 3550 Birchtree Cres, Navan K4B 1N6					2	7	4	0	0	0	4	3	73	68
61	a Acacia.....	3rd Wed.....	Hamilton.....	S.Charikar	T.Peddle, 12 Aberdeen Ave, Box 286, Mount Hope L0R 1W0					0	0	0	0	0	0	4	1	50	45
62	a St. Andrew's.....	3rd Thurs.....	Caledonia.....	W.Reiach	L.Reiach, 41 Dunrobin Dr, Caledonia N3W 2N7					0	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	64	64
63	St. John's.....	2nd Wed	Carleton Place.....	R.Clow	I.Bayley, 60 Sarah St, Carleton Place K7C 2Z3					2	3	2	1	1	5	2	0	99	96
64	a Kilwinning.....	3rd Fri.....	London	M.Smith	J.Barker, 847 Clearview Ave, London N6H 2N1					2	3	1	0	0	2	9	0	148	139
65	Rehoboam.....	1st Thurs.....	Etobicoke.....	M.Fortin	Y.Suer, 39 York Ridge Rd, Toronto M2P 1R8					2	1	2	1	0	2	0	3	40	38
66	Durham.....	1st Wed	Newcastle	S.Keane.....	I.Moore, 19 Rosemeadow Cres, Newcastle L1B 1R3					4	8	7	4	0	2	0	3	110	113
68	St. John's.....	3rd Tues.....	Ingersoll.....	S.David	L.Charlton, Box 412, Ingersoll N5C 3K5					2	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	61	62
69	Quinte	3rd Thurs.....	Stirling.....	D.Shaw	I.Wylie, 303 River Rd, Corbyville K0K 1V0					2	0	0	1	1	4	1	6	55	128
72	a Alma.....	2nd Tues.....	Cambridge	B.Rowat	R.Davis, 70 Bayne Cres, Cambridge N1T 1C9					1	1	3	3	0	1	2	1	51	51
73	St. James	3rd Mon.....	St. Marys	B.Cookson.....	R.McKnight, 344 Elizabeth Street, Box 45, St Marys N4X 1A9					4	0	0	5	1	0	2	0	103	111
74	a St. James	2nd Tues.....	Brockville.....	B.Henderson.....	M.Bauder, 3449 Cty Rd 26, RR 2, Prescott K0E 1T0					1	2	1	0	0	1	2	0	61	59
76	Oxford	2nd Mon	Woodstock.....	D.Robb	J.Sutherland, 20 Fairview Cr, Woodstock N4S 6L5					4	2	2	1	0	4	3	0	115	113
77	Faithful Brethren.....	2nd Tues.....	Lindsay	E.Hunting.....	S.Sisson, 16 St James St, Lindsay K9V 1L8					2	1	0	1	2	4	5	12	92	76
78	King Hiram.....	2nd Wed	Tillsonburg	J.Brotz	J.Stanbridge, 68 Wilkins Cres, Tillsonburg N4G 5M5					2	0	0	0	0	2	1	1	95	93

79	a Simcoe	2nd Mon	Bradford	M.Poles De Souza	J.Jones, 34 Compton Crescent, Bradford L3Z 2X5	5	2	2	1	0	2	2	3	53	52
81	a Rising Star	2nd Tues	Mount Brydges	G.Willie	M.Leach, Box 64, 54 Millmanor Place, Delaware N0L 1E0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	45	45
82	a St. John's	2nd Tues	Paris	J.Carr	R.Johnston, 225 Oakland Rd, RR 1, Scotland N0E 1R0	2	2	2	0	0	1	4	0	94	91
83	Beaver	3rd Mon	Strathroy	J.Pedden	C.Vojvodin, 36121 Grand Bend Rd, Parkhill N0M 2K0	0	1	0	3	0	1	2	0	98	98
85	a Rising Sun	1st Thurs	Athens	C.Toohy	R.Ferguson, 156 Dixie Rd, Athens K0E 1B0	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	69	69
86	Zetland Wilson	1st Tues	Toronto	J.Challet	S.Soltanzadeh, 12816 McCowan Rd, Stouffville L4A 7X5	3	0	1	2	2	1	5	1	134	134
87	a Markham Union	2nd Wed	Claremont	D.Fallows	B.Grimbleby, 218 Larkin Ave, Markham L3P 4Z3	8	3	3	1	0	2	2	0	96	101
88	St. George's	2nd Wed	Owen Sound	A.Hepburn	M.Wood, 1124 4th Ave W, Owen Sound N4K 4W2	2	1	0	0	0	3	2	1	120	116
90	Manito	2nd Tues	Collingwood	R.Potts	C.Elliott, 47 St Clair St, Box 2434, Collingwood L9Y 3Z1	1	0	1	0	0	3	5	0	99	92
91	a Colborne	3rd Wed	Colborne	J.Richmond	J.Peters, 452 Peters Rd, Colborne K0K 1S0	0	1	2	0	1	0	3	0	51	49
92	Royal Edward Catarqui	4th Fri	Kingston	D.Slack	S.Hannah, Box 220, Tamworth K0K 3G0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	85	80
93	Northern Light	1st Wed	Kincardine	C.MacLean	M.Crowley, 1099 Milne Ave, Kincardine N2Z 1X4	2	1	3	0	1	1	5	1	128	124
94	a St. Mark's	2nd Tues	St Thomas	T.Ronald	F.Noble, 42 Lake Margaret Trail, St Thomas N5R 6K7	3	5	4	1	0	8	0	4	127	119
96	Corinthian	1st Thurs	Barrie	C.Dicks	T.Cuthbertson, 206-40 Horse Valley Blvd, Barrie L4N 4Y8	6	4	5	0	1	8	4	3	186	178
97	a Sharon	2nd Tues	Queensville	G.Whitmore	M.Bales, 9724 Morning Glory Rd, Pefferlaw L0E 1N0	1	0	1	0	0	3	1	0	67	64
98	True Blue	1st Fri	Bolton	A.Jolly	N.Brooksbank, 15505 Centreville Creek Rd, Caledon East L7C 3C3	1	3	3	2	0	3	3	0	80	77
99	a Tuscan	2nd Thurs	Newmarket	W.Doel	R.Muir, 104 Peevers Cres, Newmarket L3Y 7T1	8	5	4	2	0	1	1	4	179	183
100	Valley	2nd Mon	Dundas	G.Allan	C.Pfeiffer, 173 Pleasant Avenue, Dundas L9H 3V3	2	4	2	0	0	0	2	0	75	75
101	Corinthian	3rd Fri	Peterborough	J.Ross	D.Madden, 207-899 Clonsilla Ave, Peterborough K9J 7G9	0	0	1	0	0	1	4	0	113	108
103	Maple Leaf	2nd Thurs	St. Catharines	A.Dempsey	D.Seyffert, 6 Ridgewood Rd, St Catharines L2R 3S3	0	1	0	1	0	1	1	0	40	39
104	Three Great Lights	3rd Mon	Norwich	D.Barnim	D.Roe, 599 Larch St, Delhi N4B 3A7	1	1	1	0	0	8	3	0	68	58
105	a St. Mark's	2nd Tues	Niagara Falls	M.Ferguson	S.Ferguson, 4837 Fifth Avenue, Niagara Falls L2E 4S2	3	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	43	45
106	a Burford	3rd Wcd	Burford	R.Fritzley	G.Mudford, 71 Henderson Rd, RR 4, Brantford N3R 0B8	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	70	68
107	a St. Paul's	2nd Wed	Lambeth	A.Spicer	R.Blak, 20198 Cherry Hill Rd, RR 4, Thamesford N0M 2M0	3	2	1	2	1	2	5	0	89	88

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108	Blenheim	2nd Fri	Innerkip	W. Wallace	G. Anderson, Box 16, Princeton N0J 1V0					0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	38	38
109	Albion	2nd Thurs	Harrowsmith	B. Gee	P. Byer, 609 Trudell Rd, Kingston K7M 6S7					2	3	2	1	0	2	5	0	79	75
110	Central	1st Tues	Prescott	R. Shannon	T. Ferguson, Box 1083, Prescott K0E 1T0					2	2	0	2	0	0	1	0	31	34
113	a Wilson	2nd Wed	Waterford	R. Hardman	R. Hamilton, 153 St James St. S, Box 1193, Waterford N0E 1Y0					1	0	0	0	1	2	3	0	64	61
114	a Hope	3rd Tues	Port Hope	D. Salter	R. Demerchant, Box 47 Stn Main, 4899 Barrie Rd, Port Hope L1A 3V9					5	2	5	0	0	1	0	2	76	78
115	a Ivy	1st Tues	Beamsville	D. Pollard	K. Hancr, 5078 Friesen Blvd, Beamsville L0R 1B5					1	2	3	0	0	1	4	2	83	77
116	Cassia	2nd Mon	Ravenswood	J. Henry	E. Morenz, 6515 Sunset Ave, Lambton Shores N0N 1J3					0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	29	27
118	Union	2nd Mon	Schomberg	W. Cober	K. Karunaratne, 217 McClellan Way, Aurora L4G 6M6					0	3	4	0	0	5	3	4	54	42
119	a Maple Leaf	2nd Mon	Bath	T. Barber	V. Simpkins, 214 Richmond Street, Bath K0H 1G0					0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	65	64
120	Warren	1st Tues	Fingal	J. Locke	D. Nichols, 39707 Talbot Line, RR 7, St Thomas N5P 3T2					4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	51	55
122	Renfrew	1st Mon	Renfrew	K. Richard	P. Harbert, 170 Riverview Dr, Annprior K7S 2G4					3	2	2	0	0	2	0	0	62	63
123	Belleville-Temple	(May 2017 – amalgamated with Lodges No. 11 & No. 283)								1	2	2	0	1	0	3	6	139	132
127	Franck	(September 2016 – amalgamated with Lodge No. 69)								0	0	0	0	1	1	2	0	82	0
125	Cornwall-Corinthian	2nd Thurs	Ingleside	J. Dennis	J. Lemoine, 6812 Riverview Drive, Cornwall K6H 7M1					1	0	1	0	0	5	6	5	87	72
126	Golden Rule Hastings	2nd Mon	Campbellford	D. King	G. Ballard, 2264 8th Line E, RR 2, Campbellford K0L 1L0					1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	103	103
128	Pembroke	1st Thurs	Pembroke	F. Galloway	D. McEwen, 577 Cecelia St, Pembroke K8A 1T2					6	5	6	1	2	4	1	1	109	112
129	a Rising Sun	1st Thurs	Aurora	P. Ferrante	M. Redman, 35 Anderson Place, Aurora L4G 6G4					4	2	2	2	0	1	3	1	59	60
131	St. Lawrence	3rd Wed	Saugeen Shores	D. Busch	R. Shular, 59 Pottawatomie Dr, Box 997, Southampton N0H 2L0					1	1	1	0	0	0	1	2	89	87
133	a Lebanon Forest	2nd Mon	Exeter	W. Bannon	D. Bender, 143 Freid St, Box 113, Daswood N0M 1N0					0	0	0	0	1	0	2	0	92	91

135	a St. Clair.....	1st Thurs.....	Milton.....	F.Rabley.....	G.Bragg, 1007-100 Plains Rd West, Burlington L7T 0A5	8	7	2	3	3	6	1	7	97	97
136	a Richardson.....	4th Wed.....	Stouffville.....	G.Dresser.....	A.Dvorak, 1517 Oakburn St, Pickering L1V 6N4	1	0	0	1	0	6	0	1	114	109
137	a Pythagoras.....	1st Tues.....	Meaford.....	W.Robinson.....	B.Laporte, 158250 7th Line N, RR 3, Meaford N4L 0A7	1	2	2	0	0	1	6	1	88	81
139	a Lebanon.....	2nd Tues.....	Oshawa.....	J.Bradley.....	G.Jess, 711 Athol St, Whitby L1N 4A1	5	4	3	1	0	4	3	3	177	173
140	Malahide.....	3rd Wed.....	Aylmer.....	M.Segui.....	J.Smith, 30 Dufferin St, Aylmer N5H 2L5	1	1	1	1	2	3	4	5	125	117
141	Tudor.....	2nd Tues.....	Mitchell.....	P.Humc.....	D.Stewart, 223-50 Galt Road, Stratford N5A 0B2	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	85	82
143	Friendly Brothers'.....	2nd Wed.....	Iroquois.....	C.Lough.....	R.Cowalchuk, 5 Tauvette St, Gloucester K1B 3A1	0	1	1	0	0	3	2	0	58	53
144	Tecumseh.....	4th Wed.....	Stratford.....	A.McCready.....	D.Huggins, 819 Clearview Ave., London N6A 2N1	0	0	0	0	0	1	6	0	65	58
145	a J. B. Hall.....	2nd Tues.....	Millbrook.....	J.Wraight.....	H.Mitchell, 2666 Lakefield Road, Selwyn K9J 6X5	5	2	1	1	0	4	3	9	95	85
146	a Prince Of Wales.....	1st Wed.....	Napanee.....	W.Lewis.....	F.Browning, 5205 Cty Rd 9, Napanee K7R 3K8	1	3	2	0	0	4	1	0	35	31
147	Mississippi.....	3rd Thurs.....	Almonte.....	B.Cavanagh.....	J.Staniforth, 2 Thresher Ave, Stittsville K2S 1X7	2	1	1	0	1	3	3	0	101	98
148	Civil Service.....	2nd Tues.....	Ottawa.....	D.Beaudoin.....	A.Ibrahim, 1040 Rocky Harbour Cr, Ottawa K1V 1V2	4	0	2	1	0	6	1	2	93	89
149	Erie.....	2nd Mon.....	Port Dover.....	G.Forrest.....	P.Goodwin, Box 868, Port Dover N0A 1N0	6	3	3	0	0	1	1	0	70	74
151	Grand River.....	2nd Tues.....	Waterloo.....	R.Carter.....	G.Bobier, 361 New Forest Court, Waterloo N2K 3W9	3	3	1	0	0	2	1	6	117	111
153	a Burns'.....	2nd Thurs.....	Wyoming.....	W.Shand.....	J.Forbes, 1911 Marthaville Road, RR 3, Petrolia N0N 1R0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	64	64
155	a Peterborough.....	1st Fri.....	Peterborough.....	A.Nelson.....	D.Glover, 2666 Lakefield Rd, Peterborough K9J 6X5	3	1	1	1	0	1	2	0	62	63
156	York.....	2nd Mon.....	Toronto.....	J.Forbes.....	N.Friedman, 44 Avenol Dr, Toronto M6C 1V5	5	2	3	1	0	2	1	2	93	94
157	Simpson.....	1st Tues.....	Newboro.....	P.Thompson.....	P.Clarke, 754 Newmarket Lane, RR 2, Kingston K0G 0G8	0	2	1	0	0	3	1	0	46	42
158	Alexandra-Inwood.....	1st Mon.....	Oil Springs.....	B.Sitzes.....	B.Simpson, 2964 Delia Cres, Brights Grove N0N 1C0	0	2	2	0	0	4	4	6	88	74
159	Goodwood.....	1st Tues.....	Richmond.....	K.Burchill.....	D.Howie, 11 Cloutier St, Nepean K2J 4T5	2	0	0	0	1	2	4	0	53	50
161	Percy.....	1st Wed.....	Warkworth.....	D.McPherson.....	J.Runciman, 2800 12th Line East, Marmora K0K 2M0	0	0	1	0	0	5	1	7	76	63
162	Forest.....	2nd Mon.....	Wroxeter.....	J.Hawkins.....	J.Dickson, Box 631, 54 Brownless St S, Teeswater N0G 2S0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	39	37
164	Star-In-The-East.....	1st Tues.....	Picton.....	K.Forsyth.....	T.Lyons, 54 Forin St, Belleville K8N 2H9	0	0	0	5	0	1	1	0	49	52
165	a Burlington.....	1st Wed.....	Burlington.....	K.Frankum.....	R.Vandenberg, 2184 Joyce St, Burlington L7R 2B5	3	2	2	2	0	3	3	1	93	91

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166	Wentworth	3rd Tues.	Stoney Creek	M.O'Donnell	B.Muir, 420 Mud St E, Stoney Creek L8J 3C6					2	2	1	0	0	3	3	0	158	154
168	a Merritt	2nd Mon	Port Colborne	W.Corlis	R.Muha, 43 Heather Crt, Welland L3C 4P9					2	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	47	45
169	Macnab	2nd Tues	Port Colborne	C.Rohe	K.Burke, 176 Scholfield Ave, Port Colborne L3K 5T2					3	1	1	2	0	3	4	3	102	97
170	Britannia	1st Mon	Seaforth	D.Stevenson	B.Hutton, 30 Stornoway Cres, RR 4, Seaforth N0K 1W0					0	1	0	2	0	1	6	0	58	53
171	Prince Of Wales	2nd Thurs	Iona Station	C.Rowsell	J.Muir, 509-154 Sunset Drive, St Thomas N5R 5K6					0	1	1	1	0	3	1	0	48	45
172	a Ayr	1st Mon	Cambridge	A.Haag	W.Griffiths, 83 Handorf Dr, Cambridge N3C 2Y3					2	1	0	5	0	4	1	0	27	29
174	Walsingham	(June 2017 – amalgamated with Lodges No. 104 & No 217)								0	0	0	0	0	9	0	0	47	38
177	The Builders	3rd Mon	Ottawa	R.Loomes	J.Saunders, Box 893, 2509 Con. Rd, Kemptville K0G 1J0					4	3	1	0	0	1	1	1	72	73
178	Plattsville	(June 2017 – surrendered charter)								0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	34	33
180	a Speed	1st Tues	Guelph	G.Kerr	Drumbo N0J 1G0 W.Clatworthy, 19 Woodlawn Rd, Guelph N1H 7B1					1	1	3	0	0	2	3	2	70	64
181	Oriental	4th Tues	Vienna	J.Domik	L.Williams, 369 Forest Ave, St Thomas M5R 2K8					0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	27	25
185	Enniskillen	1st Mon	Binbrook	R.McCormick	M.Smith, 2915 Haldimand Rd #9, RR 1, York N0A 1R0					0	1	1	0	0	1	3	0	36	32
186	Plantagenet	2nd Mon	Riceville	R.Stevens	J.Clemens, 3036 Clemens Rd, Fournier K0B 1G0					2	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	34	35
190	a Belmont	4th Thurs	Nilestown	K.Weaver	T.Barfett, 711-1671 Jalna Blvd, London N6E 3S3					0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	35
192	a Orillia	1st Thurs	Orillia	D.MacKinlay	D.MacDonald, 4236 Monck Rd, RR 5, Ramara L3V 6H5					4	2	2	0	1	3	4	0	101	99
193	a Scotland	2nd Mon	Oakland	J.Schmidt	J.Smythe, 24 Main Street N, Box 103, St. George N0E 1N0					2	3	1	0	0	0	5	1	70	66
194	Petrolia-Washington	1st Wed	Petrolia	J.Cleaver	G.Ainsworth, 524 Kerr St, Petrolia N0N 1R0					1	2	4	0	0	1	3	0	70	67
195	a Tuscan	1st Mon	London	E.Eppel	M.Harper, 97 Cavendish Cres, London N6H 1A3					3	1	0	0	0	6	0	1	104	100
196	Madawaska	2nd Mon	Amprior	J.Smith	N.Brooks, 2360 Diamondview Rd, Carp K0A 1L0					2	2	0	0	1	0	4	6	102	95

197	Saugeen	2nd Wed	Walkerton	P. Watsham	R. Willick, 19-401 Victoria St S, Walkerton N0G 2V0	0	1	1	0	0	3	0	0	55	52
200	St. Alban's.....	3rd Wed	Mount Forest	T. Potts.....	R. MacEachern, 232 Egrmont St N, Mount Forest N0G 2L2	1	1	0	0	0	3	2	3	82	75
201	Leeds	2nd Tues	Gananoque.....	W. Sloan	R. Winfield, 890 Queen St, Gananoque K7G 2B6	1	0	0	2	0	1	2	0	40	40
203	Two Rivers	4th Mon	Fergus.....	B. MacKenzie	S. Steen, RR 1, 114 Sd Rd 18 Fergus N1M 2W3	0	0	2	0	0	3	2	1	38	79
205	a New Dominion	2nd Mon	Baden	B. Lane.....	T. Lomond, 169 Windflower Dr, Kitchener N2E 3S9	0	2	1	3	1	5	0	1	47	45
207	Lancaster	1st Tues	Lancaster	G. Midgley	G. MacGregor, 2408 Lyn Rd, Elizabethtown K6V 5T3	3	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	63	67
209a	St. John's.....	1st Fri	London	E. Locke.....	J. Bankes, 533 Hartop Place, London N6M 1J5	3	1	1	3	0	1	12	1	154	146
209	Evergreen.....	2nd Thurs ..	Lanark	J. Blackburn	H. Von Rosen, 1355 Pinegrove Rd, Lanark K0G 1K0	1	3	2	0	1	0	2	0	43	43
215	Lake.....	1st Tues	Ameliasburg	W. Newbery	J. Hopkins, 3145 County Rd # 3, Carrying Place K0K 1L0	4	2	3	1	0	0	2	0	49	52
216	a Harris.....	2nd Tues	Orangeville	V. Brown.....	S. Brass, 116 Goldgate Cres, Orangeville L9W 4B9	2	2	2	0	0	3	1	4	92	86
217	Frederick.....	(June 2017- amalgamated with Lodges No. 104 & No. 174)				1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	36	36
219	a Credit.....	2nd Wed	Georgetown	B. Clarke.....	D. Scheeringa, 3 Heather Court, Georgetown L7G 2R5	2	2	3	0	2	3	3	0	67	65
220	a Zeredatha	3rd Mon	Uxbridge.....	D. Kemball.....	E. Testa, 78 Mooney Rd, Sunderland L0C 1H0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	51	49
221	Mountain	3rd Thurs	St. Catharines.....	B. Booth.....	D. McGilvray, 27 Stewart Ave, Thorold L2V 2W6	1	0	0	1	0	1	0	6	50	45
223	a Norwood.....	3rd Mon	Norwood.....	T. Lee.....	K. Buchanan, 16 Birch St, RR 2, Norwood K0L 2V0	0	1	1	0	1	1	3	2	46	41
225	Bernard	3rd Tues.....	Listowel.....	R. Roswell.....	D. Kritzer, 177 Krotz St E, Listowel N4W 0E2	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	3	57	54
229	Ionic.....	2nd Tues	Brampton.....	R. Faraon.....	A. Kassad, 98 Steepleridge St, Kitchener N2P 2W2	4	6	11	1	1	3	2	2	119	118
230	Kerr	3rd Thurs	Barrie.....	B. Currie	K. Snowball, c/o Kerr Lodge, 99 Morrow Rd , Barrie L4N 3V7	3	4	3	3	0	1	4	2	148	147
231	Lodge Of Fidelity	3rd Tues.....	Ottawa	J. Carty	G. Gariepy, 23 Ruedes Migrateurs, Gatineau J9A 2X6	0	0	0	1	0	2	3	0	62	58
232	Cameron	1st Wed	Dutton.....	R. Reid	C. Armstrong, 213 Annie St, Dutton N0L 1J0	1	1	0	1	1	3	0	0	57	57
234	Beaver.....	2nd Wed	Thornbury	S. Pendelton	S. Reljic, 63-100 Alice St, Box 115, Thornbury N0H 2P0	1	1	0	0	0	3	1	2	46	41
235	Aldworth.....	2nd Thurs	Paisley	L. McGillivray	R. Barfoot, 606 McNab St, Box 1081, Walkerton N0G 2V0	0	3	2	1	0	0	1	3	81	78
236	a Manitoba.....	2nd Tues	Cookstown.....	J. Angel.....	J. Wainwright, 53 Crompton Dr, Barrie L4M 6N1	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	76	78
237	Vienna	3rd Fri.....	Vienna	H. Ketchabaw.....	E. Ketchabaw, 9494 Sandytown Rd, RR 1, Eden N0J 1H0	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	77	74

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238	Havelock.....	4th Mon	Watford	S. Whiteside.....	I. Bryce, 47 Sunset Ave, Watford N0M 2S0					1	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	61	61
242	Macoy.....	4th Mon	Lyn	P. Buell	L. MacDonald, 5413 New Dublin Rd, RR 4, Brockville K6V 5T4					0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	28	29
243	a St. George	1st Tues	St. George.....	R. Rowe	R. Rowe, 23 Windsor Dr, P.O 1015, St George N0E 1N0					4	4	1	0	0	2	0	0	114	116
245	a Tecumseh Sydenham	2nd Mon	Thamesville	B. Cryderman	D. Atkinson, 12555 River Line, Thamesville N0P 2K0					1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	76	77
247	a Ashlar St. Clair	3rd Wed	Toronto	S. Hosny	W. Chadderton, 52 Barwick Dr, Barrie L4N 6Z5					10	4	1	0	0	4	0	0	68	74
249	a Bayport	3rd Tues	Victoria Harbour	S. O'Hara	K. Robertson, 32 Marta Cres, Barrie L4N 3N6					1	1	1	2	0	3	1	2	130	127
250	a Thistle.....	4th Thurs	Innerkip	I. McLeod	K. Chute, 20294 Cherry Hill Rd, Thamesford N0M 2M0					0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	75	75
253	a Rideau Minden	1st Thurs	Kingston	W. Freeman	G. Bracken, 108 Adelaide Street, Box 86, Secleys Bay K0H 2N0					3	0	2	1	0	4	1	2	60	57
254	a Clifton.....	2nd Wed	Niagara Falls	A. Bynoe	T. Skelton, 602-6274 Valley Way, Niagara Falls L2E 1Y4					3	2	2	1	0	1	2	4	56	53
256	Lost Villages.....	1st Wed	Ingleside	S. Davies	T. Papineau, 22 Lighthouse Rd, Akwasasne K6H 5R7					3	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	64	67
258	a Guelph.....	2nd Tues	Guelph	M. Smyth	E. Roberge, 49 Katemore Dr, Guelph N1L 0H4					3	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	47	48
261	a Oak Branch.....	2nd Thurs	Innerkip	C. Aspden	K. Hanenburg, 7 King Cr, Hickson N0J 1L0					0	1	2	0	0	2	0	0	58	56
262	Harriston.....	4th Tues	Harriston	J. Jans	A. Lee, 267 King Street S, Harriston N0G 1Z0					0	0	1	1	0	0	3	0	66	64
264	Chaudiere.....	4th Tues	Ottawa	K. Brinston	T. Davies, 8141 Fallowfield Rd, RR 4, Ashton K0A 1B0					2	2	0	0	2	4	3	1	75	71
265	Patterson Grey	4th Tues	Thornhill	M. Padure	S. Xanthopoulos, 45 Huntingdale Blvd, Scarborough M1W 2N8					1	1	0	0	0	5	0	6	99	89
266	Northern Light	1st Tues	Stayner	E. Helmich	E. McGauley, 210 Hamilton Dr, Box 704, Stayner L0M 1S0					3	1	1	1	1	3	5	0	124	121
267	Parthenon.....	1st Wed	Chatham	D. Scaman	D. Hewitson, 108 O'Neil St, Chatham N7M 3A3					2	1	1	0	1	2	5	3	81	74
268	a Verulam.....	3rd Fri	Bobcaygeon	I. Crowe	P. Ferguson, 138 Stinson Bay Rd, Box 747, Bobcaycon K0M 1N0					1	2	0	0	0	1	3	1	72	68
269	a Brougham Union	1st Wed	Claremont	C. Kellar	W. Lord, 5019 Franklin St, Claremont L1Y 1B4					2	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	58	58

270	a Cedar	4th Tues	Oshawa	K. Holliday	P. Haylock, 106 Auburn Lane, Courtice L1E 2E9	7	3	2	1	0	1	3	1	107	110
271	a Wellington	1st Thurs	Erin	B. Reyniers	W. Jones, 9544 Wellington Rd 124, Erin N0B 1T0	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	1	92	87
272	a Seymour	2nd Tues	Ancaster	C. Jordison	T. Marshall, 58 Allanbrook St, Stoney Creek L8J 2E8	1	2	2	2	1	2	2	0	87	87
274	a Kent	2nd Mon	Blenheim	I. Herries	W. Passmore, 11876 Bates Drive E, RR 1, Morpeth N0P 1X0	0	2	2	0	0	3	4	0	86	79
277	a Seymour	2nd Wed	St, Catharines	R. Broadbridge	G. Hannah, 7694 Swan Street, Niagara Falls L2H 2R2	2	0	1	1	0	6	2	0	78	73
279	a Mystic Tie	4th Mon	Cambridge	K. Ewen	S. Mohan, 1768 Briarwood Dr, Cambridge N3H 5A7	3	2	1	0	0	2	1	0	52	52
282	Lorne	2nd Tues	Glencoe	J. May	K. Dickie, 178 King St, Box 44, Glencoe N0L 1M0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	64	62
283	Eureka	(May 2017 – amalgamated with Lodges NO. 11 & No. 123)				2	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	87	88
285	Seven Star	2nd Mon	Alliston	D. Russell	T. Hunt, 7634 5th Line, RR 1, Angus L0M 1B0	0	1	1	1	1	4	4	0	88	82
286	Wingham	1st Tues	Wingham	J. Coultres	D. Wall, 53 Maple St, Box 744, Wingham N0G 2W0	1	2	3	2	0	1	3	0	87	86
287	a Shuniah	1st Tues	Thunder Bay	J. Watson	W. Bogensberger, Box 21026, Thunder Bay P7A 8A7	6	3	3	1	1	7	4	6	158	149
289	a Doric	3rd Wed	Lobo	E. Sandle	W. Frank, 20718 Franks Lane, RR 1, London N6H 5L2	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	47	47
290	Leamington	3rd Tues	Leamington	D. Friesen	A. Dobbie, 1911 Rd 2 West, Kingsville N9Y 2E4	0	1	1	0	1	1	3	1	85	81
291	a Dufferin	3rd Thurs	W. Flamborough	J. Burgoin	R. Jones, 1275 2nd Conc W, RR 1, Lynden L0R 1T0	1	2	2	3	0	1	0	0	39	42
292	Robertson	3rd Sat	Aurora	G. Wong	F. MacLean, 231 Kemano Rd, Aurora L4G 4Z1	3	0	2	2	0	2	2	5	71	67
294	Moore	2nd Mon	Sarnia	O. Nicol	W. Richardson, 52 Michael Snow Crt, Sarnia N7W 1B8	2	2	2	1	0	5	1	0	53	50
295	a Conestogo	3rd Tues	Drayton	C. Mackey	B. Claussen, 7195 Wellington Rd 10, RR 1, Moorefield N0G 2K0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	1	37	34
296	a Temple	3rd Wed	St. Catharines	D. Legros	M. Grecco, 8 Grangeway Ct, St Catharines L2T 4B2	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	1	62	59
297	a Preston	3rd Thurs	Cambridge	W. Bowles	H. Markle, 952 Stonebrook Rd, Cambridge N1T 1H5	3	1	1	0	0	4	0	2	61	58
299	Victoria	1st Thurs	Napanee	T. Hart	E. Peters, 214 Simcoe St, Napanee K7R 2Y1	3	2	0	1	0	2	1	0	39	40
300	a Mount Olivet	3rd Thurs	Thorndale	A. Varallo	L. Nichol, 58 Benedict Court, London N5Y 5H6	2	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	57	57
302	St. David's	3rd Thurs	St. Thomas	C. Jones	A. Jones, 4 Ada Street, St Thomas N5R 1M7	1	2	1	0	0	1	9	2	119	108
303	a Blyth	(December 2016 – surrendered charter)				0	0	0	0	0	5	2	5	45	0
304	a Minerva	3rd Tues	Stroud	D. Wisotzky	D. Ferrie, 1084 Corrie St, Innisfil L9S 1T7	3	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	90	93

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305	a Humber	1st Thurs	Toronto	N. Lisboa	D.Greenway, 28 Humbercrest Blvd, Toronto M6S 4K7	8	5	7	0	2	0	1	4	88	93
306	Durham	2nd Tues	Durham	A.Croll	D.Christie, 313-14th St, Hanover N4N 1Z6	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	51	49
307	Arkona	1st Thurs	Arkona	J. McCormick	T. Keith, 345 Beattie St, Strathroy N7G 2X5	1	2	1	2	0	1	1	1	45	45
309	a Morning Star-Clinton	2nd Wed	Carlow	W. Upthegrove	P. Young, 50 Maitland Rd N, Goderich N7A 2N1	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	102	99
311	a Blackwood	1st Tues	Maple	D.Cipollone	W.Dejesus, 80 Dombey Rd, Toronto M3L 1P2	2	1	2	0	0	1	1	0	64	64
312	Pnyx Baldoon	3rd Mon	Wallaceburg	W. Burm	P.Polkinghorne, 437 Thomas Ave, Wallaceburg N8A 2C2	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	33	32
313	a Clementi	1st Tues	Peterborough	J. Wilson	A.Baker, 8 Bridge St, Box 658, Lakefield K0L 2H0	2	1	3	2	0	1	3	0	64	64
314	Blair	4th Thurs	Palmerston	W. Forbes	A.Toner, Box 909, 290 Bell St, Palmerston N0G 2P0	1	3	0	0	0	0	6	0	54	49
315	Clifford	3rd Tues	Harriston	J. Gibson	M.Mullholland, 43835 Hullett McKillop L, RR 4, Walton N0K 1Z0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	29	28
316	Doric	2nd Tues	Thornhill	M. Davidson	C.Bakic, 14 Minnacote Ave, Scarborough M1E 4B3	3	1	0	0	0	4	2	6	51	42
318	a Wilmot	2nd Thurs	Baden	W. Justason	R.Stewart, 2001 Snyders Rd E, Petersburg N0B 2H0	3	2	2	0	0	2	1	0	76	76
319	a Hiram	2nd Thurs	Hagersville	P. Isaac	P.Duns, 4 Hunter St, Box 326, Hagersville N0A 1H0	2	1	0	0	0	0	2	1	57	56
320	North Dundas	1st Thurs	Winchester	P. Eglinton	M. Valois, Box 52, Winchester K0C 2K0	0	0	0	1	1	2	4	6	55	45
321	a Walker-Friendship	4th Thurs	Georgetown	K. Clevely	P.Hansen, 10833 6th Line, Georgetown L7G 4S6	4	2	2	0	0	5	0	3	87	83
322	North Star	1st Wed	Owen Sound	W. Moran	W.Griffith, 863 16th Street West, Owen Sound N4K 6V5	3	2	1	0	0	0	2	2	93	92
324	Temple	2nd Tues	Hamilton	M. Tokaci	G.Notman, 23 Granville Ave, Hamilton L8H 2E2	2	1	3	1	0	2	1	0	76	76
325	a Orono	2nd Thurs	Orono	M. Stephenson	M.McKenzie, 556 Hwy 7A, Bethany L0A 1A0	2	2	3	0	1	4	3	0	51	47
327	Hammond	4th Tues	Wardsville	B. Currie	D.Laszewski, 170 Grant St, Box 31, Wardsville N0L 2N0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	26	24
328	Ionic	3rd Wed	Napier	R. Vos	J.Ireland, 2355 Melwood Dr, Strathroy N7G 3H5	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	40	41

329	King Solomon.....	3rd Tues.....	Jarvis	T.Moorse.....	W.Alliston, 7 Michael Court, Jarvis N0A 1J0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	43	41
330	a Corinthian	1st Tues	London	M.Ridley	T.Haight, 75 Vista Cres, Kitchener N2M 4C8	1	1	0	1	0	3	7	0	72	64	
331	Fordwich.....	2nd Thurs ...	Fordwich	A.Gibson	W.Freeman, 2021 Princess St, Box 202, Gorrie N0G 1X0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	45	45	
332	Stratford.....	2nd Mon	Stratford.....	M.Young	I.Fraser, 139 Church St, Stratford N5A 2R4	4	4	1	1	1	4	7	0	102	97	
333	Prince Arthur	2nd Fri	Flesherton	R.Fawcett	J.Wilson, Box 159, RR 4, Flesherton N0C 1E0	1	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	49	50	
334	a Prince Arthur	3rd Mon	Arthur	J.Checkley	D.Gohn, 69 Patrick Blvd, Elora N0B 1S0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	40	39	
336	a Hiram.....	2nd Fri	Highgate	T.Hall.....	K.Spence, RR 3, 11941 Selton Line, Kent Bridge N0P 1V0	0	0	0	1	0	5	2	1	36	74	
337	a Myrtle	4th Tues	Port Robinson	D.Hill.....	K.Halbert, 221-4658 Drummond Rd, Niagara Falls L2E 7E1	0	1	1	0	1	3	0	0	63	61	
338	Dufferin	3rd Tues.....	Wellandport.....	C.Smagata	R.McLennan, 4294 Hillview Dr, RR 2, Beamsville L0R 1B2	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	5	61	58	
339	a Orient.....	1st Wed	Toronto	M.deCarvalho.....	C.Scott, 218 Grace St, Toronto M6G 3A6	3	5	4	3	1	4	0	0	70	73	
341	Bruce	4th Tues.....	Tiverton	A.Rauket	D.Manary, Box 108, Tiverton N0G 2T0	0	0	0	1	1	3	0	0	52	51	
343	a Georgina	4th Fri.....	Etobicoke.....	P.Stergiadis	G.McCowan, 105 Gamble Lane, Rockwood N0B 2K0	2	3	4	2	1	5	5	4	119	110	
344	a Merrill.....	1st Thurs.....	Nilestown	S.Farhart	D.Gent, 1220-160 Cherryhill Place, London N6H 4M4	2	2	4	0	0	0	1	0	42	43	
345	a Nilestown.....	3rd Tues.....	Nilestown	J MacDonald	R.Lancaster, 17 Wexford Crt, London N5V 1M6	1	0	0	2	0	0	6	4	109	102	
347	a Mercer	(March 2016- amalgamated with Lodge No. 203)				0	0	0	0	0	4	2	4	57	0	
348	Huronian.....	3rd Thurs.....	Midland	W.Elliott.....	D.Fawcett, 188 Lodge Rd, Port Severn L0K 1S0	2	0	3	2	1	3	4	2	70	66	
354	Brock	2nd Fri	Cannington	P.Marsh.....	J.Elburg, 16080 Brock Road, Sunderland L0C 1H0	1	0	1	0	0	6	2	0	38	31	
356	River Park.....	1st Tues	Mississauga	A.Bartolome	R.Murphy, 607-380 Cochrane Rd, Hamilton L8K 6H8	7	3	1	1	0	4	0	12	85	77	
357	a Waterdown	3rd Tues.....	Millgrove	D.Stevenson	S.Chick, 26 Ferrara St, Hamilton L8T 4C2	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	0	52	52	
358	a Delaware Valley	(June 2016 – surrendered charter)				0	0	0	0	0	1	2	6	45	0	
360	a Muskoka	1st Tues	Bracebridge	R.Moore	T.Taylor, 1105 Taylor Rd, RR 7, Bracebridge P1L 0A1	4	1	4	4	0	4	7	2	202	197	
361	a Waverley	2nd Mon	Guelph.....	J.Hammill.....	R.Gray, 40 Oak Street, Guelph N1G 2M9	1	2	1	1	0	9	3	3	79	66	
362	Maple Leaf.....	2nd Mon	Tara	R.Smith	A.McKay, Box 295, Tara N0H 2N0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	46	41	
364	Dufferin	3rd Tues.....	Melbourne	R.Hathaway.....	R.Howe, 21477 Mayfair Rd, Melbourne N0L 1T0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	33	33	

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367	St. George	3rd Fri	Toronto	B.Chatwell	M.Harris, 161 Walton Dr, Aurora L4G 3R9					0	2	1	1	1	4	3	0	82	77
368	Salem	2nd Mon	Brockville	R.Szydlo	J.Gipson, 121 Pearl St West, Brockville K6V 4C5					0	0	0	0	1	2	0	1	72	70
369	a Mimico	2nd Tues	Etobicoke	S.Thomsen	G.Forrest, 622 Minette Circle, Mississauga L5A 3B8					0	3	1	0	0	3	2	1	83	77
370	Harmony	2nd Wed	Elgin	M.Bonner	L.Vincent, Box 194, Delta K0E 1G0					0	0	1	1	0	1	2	1	41	38
371	Prince Of Wales	4th Fri	Ottawa	M.Pembroke	G.Sheppard, 2367 Palm St, Ottawa K1H 6Y7					14	2	0	1	1	2	1	0	71	84
372	Palmer	1st Tues	Fort Erie	T.Whitfield	R.Gorham, 930 Edgemere Rd, Fort Erie L2A 5M9					1	0	3	1	1	5	0	3	119	114
373	a Cope-Stone	2nd Thurs	Fonthill	J.Mather	T.Harry, 79 Carlton Ave, Welland L3C 1R2					0	0	0	0	1	1	6	9	74	59
374	a Keene	3rd Thurs	Keene	R.Cook	I.MacDonald, 156 Ponty Pool Rd, Ponty Pool L0A 1K0					0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	56	55
375	Lorne	2nd Wed	Omemece	C.Faas	S.MacEachern, 120 Centreline Rd, Omemece K0L 2W0					0	3	2	0	0	4	2	0	74	68
376	Unity	2nd Wed	Huntsville	S.Petrie	B.Veall, 304-42 Manominee St, Huntsville P1H 1J5					4	0	0	2	0	1	3	3	80	79
377	Lorne	1st Fri	Shelburne	N.Pritchard	C.Widbur, 785 Greenwood Cres, Shelburne L9V 3C8					6	2	2	0	2	2	0	1	60	65
378	a King Solomon's	2nd Thurs	London	M.Pedraza	J.Brewce, 102-1205 Huron St, London N5Y 4L1					0	0	1	1	0	0	6	0	99	94
379	a Middlesex	4th Tues	London	D.Macleod	J.MacLeod, 858 Berkshire Dr, London N6J 3S7					0	0	0	1	0	0	3	1	64	61
380	a Union	2nd Mon	London	K.Parker	G.Publicover, 37 Conway Dr, London N6E 2H4					2	0	0	0	1	1	4	3	65	60
384	a Alpha Tuscan	1st Thurs	Toronto	J.Katz	M.Skulnick, 4 Cultra Square, Toronto M1E 2C9					4	2	1	0	0	8	2	6	94	82
385	a Spry	4th Mon	Beeton	J.Johnson	T.Anderson, 84 Daniel Ave N, Beeton L0G 1A0					3	2	1	1	1	2	1	3	66	65
386	West Elgin	2nd Wed	Rodney	C.Mosher	W.Graham, RR 2, 9612 Graham Rd, West Lorne N0L 2P0					0	0	0	0	0	0	2	1	67	64
387	Lansdowne	1st Wed	Lansdowne	D.Wilkins	B.Nash, 671 Eden Grove Rd, Lansdowne K0E 1L0					2	1	1	0	0	2	2	0	40	38
388	a Harmony	2nd Tues	London	S.Cobleigh	D.Kennedy, 76 Penetangore Row, Kincardine N2Z 2N8					5	0	2	0	0	0	2	2	59	60

391	Howard(November 2016 – amalgamated with Lodge No. 336).....	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	52	0
392	Huron3rd Thurs ....Camlachie.....J.Fisher.....M.Dennis, 6881 Dalrymple Drive, RR 1, Camlachie N0N 1E0	1	1	0	2	0	2	2	2	0	57	56
393	Forest	.....4th Thurs ....Paisley .....C.Calhoun .....T.Murphy, 135-10 St S E, Box 27, Chesley N0G 1L0	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	36	36
395	Parvaim-Central	.....1st Wed .....Essex .....J.McKibbin .....P.Hernandez, 6806 Essex Rd 8, Starpls N0P 2J0	2	0	0	1	0	1	4	0	62	60
396	Cedar	.....1st Tues .....Wiarton.....D.Madill.....B.Burnett, 1123 Sunset Dr, South Bruce Peninsula N0H 2T0	0	0	0	0	0	3	6	1	71	61
397	a Leopold	.....2nd Wed .....Brigden.....J.Morley .....A.Steadman, 3078 Brigden Rd, Brigden N0N 1B0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	59	60
398	Victoria	.....1st Wed .....Kirkfield .....I.Burney .....M.McCallum, 5-450 Holland St W, Suite 304, Bradford L3Z 0J4	0	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	38	37
399	a Moffat	.....1st Wed .....London .....R.Villavecer .....D.Strickland, 123 Inverary Cr, London N6G 3L7	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	2	37	34
400	a Oakville	.....1st Tues .....Oakville .....J.Villarroel .....S.Warren, 398 Maidstone Cres, Oakville L6M 1A1	7	3	2	0	0	2	0	2	106	111
403	a Windsor	.....1st Fri .....Windsor .....M.Tingle .....J.Cherwak, 1765 Chilver Rd, Windsor N8W 2T7	1	1	4	2	3	1	8	0	115	112
405	Mattawa	.....1st Tues .....North Bay .....J.Martel .....G.Maxwell, 1158 Highway 630, Mattawa P0H 1V0	0	0	0	1	0	4	1	0	30	26
406	The Spry	.....4th Wed .....Fenelon Falls .....K.Finley .....S.Kyle, 18 Northlin Park Rd, Lindsay K9V 4P3	2	1	0	1	0	5	1	0	67	64
408	Murray	.....1st Tues .....Beaverton .....C.Lodwick.....G.Morgan, Box 626, 414 Dundas St, Beaverton L0K 1A0	1	3	2	2	0	1	1	1	58	58
409	Golden Rule	.....3rd Mon.....Gravenhurst .....F.Richardson .....G.Schenk, 870 Third St, Gravenhurst P1P 1L8	0	0	0	0	0	8	4	10	94	71
410	Zeta-Shamrock	.....2nd Tues .....Toronto .....J.Tabangcura .....G.Donnelly, 571 Winette Rd, Pickering L1W 2M4	1	2	2	2	1	5	5	1	108	101
412	a Keystone	.....1st Tues .....Sault Ste. Marie .....D.Adshead.....I.Jeffreys, 28 Alden Rd, Sault Ste Marie P6C 5V3	4	1	1	0	1	2	1	6	76	72
413	a Naphtali	.....2nd Tues .....Tilbury.....R.Morgan .....G.Ternoey, 24029 Dashwheel Rd, RR 2, Tilbury N0P 2L0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	26	23
414	Pequonga	.....1st Wed .....Kenora.....J.Hall.....S.Meadows, 1500 Pine Portage Rd, Kenora P9N 2K2	3	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	88	90
415	a Fort William	.....2nd Wed .....Thunder Bay .....G.Maxwell .....M.Abbott, 4145 Oliver Rd, RR 1, Murillo P0T 2G0	2	2	2	0	0	1	1	5	66	61
416	Lyn	.....1st Tues .....Lyn.....G.Code.....R.Easton, 902 Buttermilk Cove Lane, RR 1, Athens K0E 1B0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	44	42	
417	Keewatin	.....1st Thurs.....Keewatin .....G.Rowland .....R.MacKay, 1117 Hillside Cres, Kenora P9N 2Y1	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	24	25	
418	Glengarry Highland	.....3rd Wed.....Maxville .....J.Thomas .....M.McConnell, 101 Hawkeswood Dr, Manotick K4M 0C1	2	1	0	3	0	0	1	0	53	57
419	Liberty	.....3rd Mon.....Sarnia .....C.Veinot.....M.Adam, 1336 Ridgewood Dr, Sarnia N7V 3R3	2	1	1	0	1	5	4	2	189	181
420	Nipissing2nd MonNorth BayT.LacelleJ.McCutcheon, 740 Boxwell Rd, Rutherglen P0H 2E0	12	6	2	2	5	4	2	14	171	170	

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421	Scott	1st Mon	Grand Valley	J. Vines	C. Bricker, 229 Homestead Dr, Shelburne L9V 3B5	3	3	0	0	0	2	7	0	46	40
422	Star Of The East	Last Wed	Bothwell	J. Wolfe	R. Johnson, Box 398, Bothwell N0P 1C0	4	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	24	27
423	Strong	2nd Tues	Sundridge	F. Gill	G. Carpenter, Box 299, South River P0A 1X0	1	2	1	2	0	0	0	0	69	72
424	a Doric	3rd Thurs	Ajax	B. Palanik	J. Houghton, 12 Broughton Court, Whitby L1N 6Y8	2	1	1	0	1	2	8	0	135	128
425	a St. Clair	3rd Tues	Sombra	K. Henderson	S. Bentley, 3943 Leeland Gardens, RR 2, Port Lambton N0P 2B0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	25	23
427	Nickel	1st Wed	Sudbury	J. Reynolds	R. Fleming, Box 1125, 37 Cobalt Street Copper Cliff P0M 1N0	2	2	3	3	0	5	6	2	119	111
428	Fidelity	2nd Mon	Port Perry	J. Judd	F. Young, 74 Country Estates Dr, Port Perry L9L 1S2	6	3	1	1	1	4	4	1	75	74
429	Port Elgin	3rd Thurs	Port Elgin	T. Evans	M. Harley, 389 High St, Southampton N0H 2L0	3	0	0	0	1	1	5	2	105	101
430	Acacia	3rd Mon	Toronto	R. McGill	M. Faminial, 34 Moorefield Dr, Scarborough M1C 5B6	0	1	3	0	0	3	0	1	60	56
431	Moravian	3rd Mon	Cargill	B. Riley	A. Abell, 1681 Bruce Rd 3, RR 4, Walkerton N0G 2V0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	3	43	39
432	Hanover	Last Mon	Hanover	L. Fry	A. Morrow, 79 3rd St, Hanover N4N 3H8	2	2	1	0	0	0	2	5	79	74
433	Bonnechere	(Junc 2017 – surrendered charter)				1	0	0	0	0	2	1	0	41	39
434	Algonquin	3rd Tues	Emsdale	A. Dimmick	O. Strood, 402 Falcon Rd, Huntsville P1H 1N3	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	41	41
435	Havelock	4th Mon	Havelock	S. Henderson	F. Randall, 875 Country Rd 48, Havelock K0L 1Z0	1	4	4	2	0	2	1	0	71	71
436	Burns	2nd Tues	Hepworth	R. Bannister	R. Lesperance, 274 Salem Rd, RR 3, Allenford N0H 1A0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	73	72
437	Tuscan	(September 2016 – amalgamated with Lodge No. 56)				0	0	0	0	1	5	2	2	52	0
439	Alexandria	2nd Tues	Alexandria	V. Pace	A. Ciastek, 5255 Grande Montee, St Eugene K0B 1P0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	25	24
440	Arcadia	4th Thurs	Minden	B. Robb	J. Jones, 4926 Muskoka Rd, Hwy 117, Baysville P0B 1A0	1	0	0	1	1	2	2	0	67	66
442	Dymont	2nd Thurs	Thessalon	S. Alton	R. Bird, 136 Ontario Street, Thessalon P0R 1L0	2	1	1	0	0	3	2	0	99	96

443	Powassan	3rd Thurs	Powassan	R. Campbell	M. Plant, 1572 Pioneer Road, RR 1, Powassan P0H 1Z0	2	1	1	4	1	0	0	0	71	78
444	a Nitcitis	3rd Mon	Creemore	R. Nieman	A. Hargrave, 8003 Simcoe County Rd 9, RR 4, Creemore L0M 1G0	0	0	0	0	0	3	3	0	62	56
445	Lake Of The Woods	2nd Wed	Kenora	P. Blackwell	R. Jones, 804 Airport Rd, Kenora P9N 0A9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	41	40
446	a Granite	1st Tues	Fort Francis	D. Zucchiatti	K. Scholfield, 1122 Second St E, Fort Frances P9A 1P2	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	10	52	40
447	a Sturgeon Falls	2nd Thurs	Sturgeon Falls	K. Stewart	B. Parrington, 413 Holditch Street, Sturgeon Falls P2B 3C7	0	0	0	2	0	3	1	0	52	50
448	a Xenophon	3rd Thurs	Wheatley	M. Overholt	A. Ascott, Box 84, Wheatley N0P 2P0	0	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	63	61
449	Dundalk	2nd Mon	Dundalk	R. Hubbert	W. Seeley, 152315 Side Rd 15, RR 1, Dundalk N0C 1B0	0	0	0	2	0	1	2	0	52	51
450	Hawkesbury	3rd Thurs	Maxville	K. Park	D. Cameron, 46 Mill Entrance, Hawkesbury K6A 2L2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	27	29
451	Somerville	1st Thurs	Kinmount	W. Wheeler	R. Wackernagel, 699 Reid Street, Box 245, Kinmount K0M 2A0	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	30	30
452	Avonmore	3rd Mon	Ingleside	S. Prosser	J. Watkins, 17085 Rombough Rd, Monkland K0C 1V0	1	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	39	38
454	Corona	1st Thurs	Burks Falls	R. Van Der Wijst	C. Lewin, Box 326, 38 Biddy St Magnetowan P0A 1P0	2	1	1	4	0	2	1	0	48	51
455	Doric	2nd Tues	Little Current	D. Clark	M. Maciuk, 31 Worthington St, Box 970, Little Current P0P 1K0	4	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	99	101
457	Century	3rd Tues	Merlin	R. Carnahan	D. McAleece, RR 5, Box 253, Merlin N0P 1W0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	22	20
459	Cobden	2nd Tues	Cobden	D. Steeves	D. Schauer, 1309 Stafford 3rd Line, RR 5, Cobden K0J 1K0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	45	40
461	Ionic	1st Thurs	Rainy River	R. Trenchard	K. Cunningham, Box 595, Rainy River P0W 1L0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	25	22
462	Temiskaming	(June 2017 – surrendered charter)				0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0	40	38
463	North Entrance	3rd Wed	Haliburton	R. Parish	L. Giles, 2162 North Shore Rd, Algonquin Highlands K0M 1J1	3	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	75	79
464	King Edward	3rd Tues	Sunderland	G. Sooley	J. Cook, 911 Highway 7, Oakwood K0M 2M0	2	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	48	49
465	Carleton	4th Thurs	Carp	D. Gray	K. Farmer, 137 Robert Lee Dr, Box 354, Carp K0A 1L0	3	0	0	0	0	1	2	3	76	73
466	a Coronation	4th Wed	Elmvalle	R. Easby	D. Don, 5 Archer Cres, Elmvalle L0L 1P0	3	5	4	3	0	6	6	1	93	86
467	Tottenham	1st Mon	Tottenham	A. Nolan	R. Murdock, 95 Sproule Dr, Barrie L4N 0W6	2	2	1	0	0	0	3	0	56	55
468	Peel	3rd Tues	Caledon East	E. Wenger	T. Shannon, 15270 Argyle Rd, Georgetown L7G 5N8	1	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	75	74
469	a Algoma	2nd Mon	Sault Ste. Marie	J. Bois	R. Bird, 15 Sisson St, Sault Ste Marie P6B 3K3	4	5	5	1	0	2	5	0	112	110
471	a King Edward VII	1st Wed	Niagara Falls	D. Martin	W. Berkhold, 1413-40 Grandville Ave, Hamilton L8E 1J7	2	2	3	2	0	1	1	2	58	58

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472	Gore Bay.....	2nd Thurs ...	Gore Bay	G. Wright	H.Clark, 12221 Hwy #540, RR 1, Gore Bay P0P 1H0	2	0	1	0	0	0	3	0	76	75
473	The Beaches.....	1st Thurs.....	East York	J.Curry	A.McCarthy, 68 Bonnycastle Dr, Clarington L1C 4S9	3	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	103	106
474	a Victoria.....	3rd Tues.....	Toronto	B.Challet	C.Turnbull, 10-200 Keele Street, Toronto M6P 2K2	1	4	5	0	1	3	2	0	86	83
475	Dundurn.....	1st Mon	Stoney Creek	D.Maddison	D.Chapman, 18 Adler Ave, Hamilton L8W 3C3	2	1	1	0	0	3	2	7	51	41
477	a Harding.....	2nd Mon	Woodville	N.Brown	B.Tamlin, 5 Melbourne St W, Lindsay K9V 2S5	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	40	37
479	Russell	3rd Mon.....	Russell	J.Bowman	G.Cormier, 270 Belvedere Rd, Hammond K0A 2A0	0	0	1	1	0	3	4	1	68	61
481	a Corinthian	1st Wed	Newmarket	D.Henrickson	L.Hamilton, 1 Donaldson Rd, Holland Landing L9N 1J2	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	132	133
482	Bancroft	2nd Mon	Bancroft	F.Danyluck	B.Brenham, 1057 Finn Point Rd, RR 3, Bancroft K0L 1C0	2	1	0	1	3	2	7	2	150	145
483	a Granton.....	1st Mon	Granton	C.Beard	J.Wilhelm, 570 Widder Street East, St Marys N4X 1A9	0	0	3	0	0	0	3	1	52	48
484	Golden Star.....	2nd Tues.....	Dryden	S.Patey	B.Smith, 52 Ingall Dr, Dryden P8N 2K6	6	1	3	0	0	1	4	0	99	100
487	Penewobikong	2nd Mon	Blind River	P.Daub	J.Thomas, 16 Duburne Dr, Box 944, Blind River P0R 1B0	2	0	1	0	0	1	0	1	58	58
490	Hiram.....	2nd Thurs	Markdale	S.Coll	G.Aitken, 197674 Grey Rd 7, RR 4, Meaford N4L 1W7	2	1	0	0	0	4	1	0	39	36
492	Karnak	1st Wed	Orillia	W.Griffin	D.Drury, 475 Lacie St, Unit 1, Orillia L3V 4R1	0	1	1	0	0	4	2	0	38	32
494	a Riverdale Robertson	3rd Tues.....	Toronto	D.Marangos	G.Campbell, 316 Rhodes Ave, Toronto M4L 3A3	2	1	2	0	0	4	2	0	74	70
495	The Electric	3rd Wed.....	Hamilton	A.Mouriopoulos	P.Mouriopoulos, 275 East 45th Street, Hamilton L8T 3K7	4	2	0	4	0	0	6	1	98	99
496	University	2nd Thurs ...	Toronto	R.Cipriani	B.Adams, 193 Grenadir Rd, Toronto M6R 1R8	2	1	3	0	0	2	2	0	101	99
497	St. Andrew's.....	3rd Fri.....	Madoc	R.Meeks	H.O'Brien, 14668 Hwy #41, Box 52, Cloyne K0H 1K0	2	1	0	0	0	2	2	1	75	72
498	a King George V	1st Mon	Coboconk	K.McCrea	T.Hodgson, 224 Burnt River Rd, Burnt River K0M 1C0	1	1	0	1	1	2	3	0	45	43
499	a Port Arthur.....	2nd Mon	Thunder Bay	P.Bodkin	J.Breen, 105 Nottingham Cres, Thunder Bay P7G 1B4	1	2	0	2	2	2	2	2	101	100

500	a Rose	2nd Wed	Windsor	C. Weir	Z. Haramic, 5965 Riverside Dr E, Windsor N8S 1B5	3	0	0	0	0	2	2	1	34	32
501	Connaught	2nd Thurs	Etobicoke	I. Balog	N. Seawright, 1540 Pinetree Cres, Mississauga L5G 2S8	0	1	0	1	0	1	8	0	45	37
502	Coronation	1st Mon	Smithville	C. Clements	J. Greig, 11 Jane St, Smithville L0R 2A0	0	0	1	0	0	1	3	1	71	66
504	Otter	2nd Tues	Lombardy	W. Wood	W. Lesurf, 30 Carol Cres, Smiths Falls K7A 4V3	0	0	0	2	0	0	2	2	40	38
505	a Lynden	1st Wed	Lynden	P. Howell	K. McCormack, 748 Old Hwy 8, Rockton	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	42	38
506	Porcupine	1st Tues	Timmins	D. MacMillan	T. Pachal, 107 Seneca Cr, Timmins P4N 7Y3	0	1	2	0	0	6	2	1	94	85
507	Elk Lake	2nd Tues	Elk Lake	M. Major	D. Blackwell, 28 Balsam Ave, Kirkland Lake P2N 1W6	1	0	1	1	0	4	0	2	41	37
508	Ozias	3rd Sat	Burford	D. Johnson	S. Stannard, 383 North Street, London N6K 2H5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	35	35
509	Twin City	2nd Fri	Waterloo	J. McCullough	J. Smith, 809-130 Lincoln Rd, Waterloo N2J 4N3	2	2	1	0	1	2	0	4	68	65
510	Perfect Column	2nd Wed	Etobicoke	A. Stoddart	D. Blake, 956 Line 6 Road, Niagara-on-the-Lake L0S 1J0	4	0	1	0	0	2	1	0	77	78
511	a Connaught	3rd Mon	Thunder Bay	T. King	J. Milloy, 114 Elmwood Cr, Thunder Bay P7E 6A7	5	4	5	2	3	8	0	2	153	153
512	Malone	1st Wed	Sutton West	E. Earle	G. Forrest, 124 Blue Heron Drive, Pefferlaw L0E 1N0	3	2	3	1	0	4	1	5	81	75
513	Corinthian	4th Thurs	Hamilton	E. Manmohan	A. Stewart, 25 Second Rd East, Stoney Creek L8J 3H9	4	1	2	3	0	1	4	3	84	83
515	a Reba	4th Wed	Paris	M. Hodgson	A. Hall, 607-27 Lynnwood Dr, Brantford N3S 6S4	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	54	52
517	Hazeldean	3rd Wed	Kanata	A. Liimatainen	R. Reeve, 407-345 Centrum Blvd, Ottawa K1E 3W9	1	1	4	0	0	6	4	0	123	113
518	Sioux Lookout	1st Mon	Sioux Lookout	M. McCord	R. Gould, Box 1636, Sioux Lookout P8T 1C3	3	4	2	2	1	1	1	1	64	67
519	a Onondaga	4th Tues	Onondaga	R. Eadie	A. Haggith, 6 Church St W, Box 166, Scotland N0E 1R0	3	1	0	0	1	2	1	6	83	78
520	Coronati	2nd Thurs	Whitby	R. Culbertson	C. Balsomo, 14 Sachems Place E, Toronto M1B 1E6	2	3	4	2	0	3	2	0	93	92
521	Trinity	1st Mon	Windsor	B. Evans	R. MacNevin, 2135 Beals St, Windsor N9E 1J6	3	1	0	0	0	2	8	1	126	118
522	a Mount Sinai Pillars	2nd Thurs	Thornhill	P. Robinson	A. Han, 163 Brownridge Dr, Thornhill L4J 7B6	5	3	3	0	0	1	3	0	150	151
523	a Royal Arthur	1st Mon	Peterborough	J. Acheson	R. James, 2881 Pearson Lane, Lakefield K0L 2H0	0	0	1	1	0	5	1	2	87	80
523	a Royal Arthur	1st Mon	Peterborough	T. Keay	R. James, 2881 Pearson Lane, Lakefield K0L 2H0	0	0	1	1	0	5	1	2	87	80
524	a Mississauga	2nd Thurs	Port Credit	J. McLaughlin	A. Penafior, 4181 Wakefield Cres, Mississauga L5C 4M2	5	5	2	0	1	6	1	7	136	128
526	Ionic	2nd Wed	Ottawa	M. Reiach	A. Braslins, 27 Naismith Cres, Kanata K2L 2K7	2	6	4	1	0	1	5	1	83	79

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527	Espanola	1st Wed	Espanola	R. Akkanen	R. Dutton, 313 Read Ave, Espanola P5E 1E2	0	1	1	1	1	2	1	2	81	78
528	Golden Beaver	2nd Wed	Timmins	K. Jensen	J. Mavrinac, 924 Ferguson Rd, Porcupine P0N 1K0	3	0	0	1	0	1	5	0	65	63
531	High Park Melita	1st Thurs	Thornhill	M. Jovanovic	C. Infante, 35 Brownlee Ave, Woodbridge L4L 8H4	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	101	99
532	a Canada	1st Tues	Ajax	R. Kliaman	R. Beverley, 301-90 Dale Avenue, Scarborough M1J 3N4	2	1	1	0	0	5	4	1	99	91
534	Englehart	2nd Mon	Englehart	M. McLaren	T. Henderson, 3rd Street, Box 1013, Englehart P0J 1H0	2	0	1	1	1	1	2	1	60	60
535	Phoenix	3rd Mon	Fonthill	R. Bcgy	G. Cook, 404-141 Vansickle Rd, St Catharines L2S 0E5	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	49	47
536	Algonquin	3rd Tues	Sudbury	D. Squarzolo	C. Searle, 697 Old Wanup Rd, RR 3, Sudbury P3E 4N1	4	4	3	1	0	0	1	2	100	102
537	Ulster	3rd Mon	Toronto	D. Walker	S. Magwood, 347 Willard Ave, Toronto M6S 3R3	0	1	1	0	0	16	19	3	81	43
539	a Waterloo	1st Wed	Waterloo	J. Rankine	A. Rodgers, 620 South Haven Drive, Waterloo N2K 4M2	4	6	5	3	0	1	5	1	114	114
540	<u>Abitibi</u>	2nd Sat	Timmins	G. Liley	W. Amendola, 1369 Gatineau Blvd, Timmins P4R 1E4	2	0	1	0	0	1	2	0	30	29
543	Imperial East Gate	2nd Wed	Toronto	R. Gatt	D. Neave, 616 Dundee Ave, Oshawa	5	4	2	1	1	1	2	2	63	65
544	a Lincoln	1st Thurs	Abingdon	R. Wardell	R. Haining, 8842 North Chippawa Rd, Caistor Centre L0R 1E0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	4	50	46
547	<u>a Victory</u>	2nd Thurs	Toronto	J. Hough	T. Lloyd, 1292 Forest Hill, Oakville L6H 2S4	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	37	36
548	a General Mercer	2nd Fri	Toronto	M. Fanone	A. Meldrum, 2-478 Annette St, Toronto M6P 1S2	6	2	3	0	1	2	1	3	48	49
549	a Ionic	1st Wed	Hamilton	W. Paul	A. Simpson, 103 Garfield Ave S, Hamilton L8M 2S3	1	0	0	3	0	2	3	0	51	50
550	Buchanan	1st Thurs	Hamilton	J. Murdoch	W. Fulton, 70 Jerome Park Dr, Dundas L9H 6H3	3	1	2	1	1	5	7	5	68	56
551	Tuscan	1st Thurs	Hamilton	J. Longe	T. Brown, 4387 Adriana Ave, Beamsville L0R 1B6	4	2	0	0	0	0	2	9	107	100
554	<u>Border Cities</u>	1st Wed	Windsor	J. Chambers	M. Brodsky, 1208-1545 Ouellett Ave, Windsor N8X 1R6	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	48	44
555	Wardrope	4th Mon	Hamilton	R. Ellison	J. McCulloch, 33 Erie Ave, Hamilton L2N 2W5	1	1	0	0	0	0	3	0	48	46

556	Nation	2nd Wed	Spencerville	B.Heward	W.Smith, Box 88, Spencerville K0E 1X0	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	47	48
558	Sidney Albert Luke	2nd Wed	Ottawa	J.Christie	R.Booth, 4 West Pointe Cres, Nepean K2H 5Z1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	43	44
559	Mosaic	4th Wed	Thornhill	S.Maizels	P.Stern, 78 Braeburn Drive, Thornhill L3T 4W8	1	0	0	2	0	12	1	1	9	164	144
560	St. Andrew's	1st Thurs	Ottawa	J.Forster	G.Myall, 33 Banner Rd, #811, Nepean K2H 8V7	1	4	2	1	0	0	2	1	1	82	81
561	Acacia	3rd Tues	Ottawa	J.Campbell	W.Gordon, 48 Ullswater Dr, Ottawa K2H 5H6	3	2	2	2	1	2	1	1	1	62	64
564	Ashlar	1st Fri	Ottawa	L.Martin	D.Durr, 62 Robinson Ave, Ottawa K1N 8N9	1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	57	56
565	a Kilwinning	3rd Fri	Toronto	P.Horrigan	R.Lund, 2973 Balfour Crt, Mississauga L5M 5V8	1	2	4	0	0	6	3	11	140	121	
566	King Hiram	1st Fri	Toronto	S.Bagatin	S.Jackson, 372 Silverthorn Avenue, Toronto M6M 3G9	1	5	6	1	0	1	1	1	6	65	59
568	a Hullett	2nd Tues	Londesboro	W.Vincent	T.Elliott, 309 King Street, Londesborough N0M 2H0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	34	33	
569	Doric Corinthian	1st Wed	Lakeside	R.McKay	S.Greason, 164 Ontario St, Box 3045, St Marys N4X 1A7	0	0	0	0	0	4	3	0	52	45	
570	<u>Dufferin Daylight</u>	4th Wed	Richmond Hill	R.Gomes	K.MacDonald, 230-16A Elgin St, Thornhill L3T 4T4	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	49	44	
571	Antiquity	4th Tues	Toronto	D.Frankland	T.Van Horne, 33-10 Crown Hill Place, Etobicoke M8Y 4C6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	56	53	
573	Adoniram	1st Mon	Niagara Falls	R.Panchal	C.Wright, 168 Lyons Ave, Welland L3B 1M2	1	0	0	2	0	1	0	8	65	59	
574	Craig	1st Tues	Ailsa Craig	D.Eagleson	H.Elliott, 128 Scott St W, Strathroy N7G 1J7	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	110	105	
575	Trillium	1st Thurs	Toronto	J.Eyzaguirre	R.Palacol, 2879 Constable Rd, Mississauga L5J 1W6	0	2	1	0	0	4	1	0	186	181	
576	a Mimosas	1st Mon	Toronto	P.Sialtis	J.McMurray, 16 Dutch Settlers Court, Holland Landing L9N 1M1	1	1	1	1	0	3	0	0	35	34	
578	Queen's	2nd Wed	Kingston	D.Saunders	S.Landry, 1040 Rainbow Cres, Kingston K7K 7J5	7	4	4	0	1	3	1	6	58	56	
579	a Harmony	1st Thurs	Windsor	I.Strukan	D.Warner, 1005 Glidden Ave, Windsor N8S 2N9	5	2	2	1	0	1	2	3	60	60	
581	a Harcourt	3rd Wed	Toronto	C.Thomson	G.Woynarski, 310 Manor Road E, Toronto M4S 1S2	2	2	3	2	0	1	0	2	69	70	
584	a Kaministiquia	3rd Tues	Thunder Bay	R.Bauch	E.Johnson, 339 Bolton Cres, Thunder Bay P7C 1S5	5	2	1	8	1	3	1	0	68	78	
586	Remembrance	2nd Fri	Thornhill	T.Kassabian	R.Manabat, 45 Maple Ridge Cres, Markham L6E 1V3	2	2	3	4	1	4	1	2	54	54	
588	<u>National</u>	1st Tues	Sudbury	C.Rouse	K.Jordan, 2 Davenport Court, Sudbury P3A 5V1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1	6	44	34	
590	Defenders	1st Wed	Ottawa	R.Sullivan	R.Clark, 626 Tourelle Dr, Ottawa K4A 3H4	2	4	5	0	0	7	3	4	69	57	
592	a Fairbank	1st Mon	Toronto	D.Rothwell	S.Lipton, 37 Claremore Ave, Scarborough M1N 3S1	1	1	1	3	1	0	2	0	85	88	

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593	a St. Andrew's	4th Wed	Hamilton	K. Baglole	R. Corrin, 543 Rosseau Rd, Hamilton L8K 4T7	2	1	2	1	0	2	2	2	88	85
594	Hillcrest	2nd Mon	Hamilton	W. Neely	C. Mills, 31 Forestgate Dr, Hamilton L9C 6A4	0	1	3	0	0	1	3	0	77	73
596	Martintown	3rd Thurs	Lancaster	J. Arksey	B. Rankin, 4933 Desjardin St, Box 191, Martintown K0C 1S0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	53	54
597	a Temple	2nd Wed	London	J. Workman	J. Parker, 210-365 Sugarcreek Trail, London N6H 0J2	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	2	53	51
599	Astra - Mt Dennis	4th Wed	Weston	K. Ho	H. Somir, 1238 Royal York Rd, Etobicoke M9A 4B7	1	1	2	0	0	1	2	8	108	98
600	a Maple Leaf	1st Tues	Etobicoke	T. Bennell	D. Stevens, 45 Milford Cres, Brampton L6S 3E3	2	2	1	1	0	1	1	0	71	72
602	a Hugh Murray	3rd Tues	Hamilton	J. Harrop	B. Kiernan, 14-25 Garrow Dr, Hamilton L9C 2X2	7	5	2	1	0	3	3	0	125	127
603	a Campbell	1st Tues	Campbellville	R. Elliot	S. Laing, 22 Frasson Dr, Guelph N1E 0A7	1	1	1	1	0	4	0	1	37	34
606	a Unity	1st Wed	Etobicoke	W. Almeida	J. Vasko, 87 St. Augustine Drive, St Catharines L2P 3V7	3	2	0	0	0	0	2	6	43	38
608	a Gothic	3rd Mon	Lindsay	J. Baxter	D. Bacon, 25 Redwing St, Lindsay K9V 4T4	4	1	1	4	0	3	4	4	82	79
609	Tavistock	2nd Tues	Tavistock	J. Francis	R. Carney, 169 Woodstock St N, Box 104, Tavistock N0B 2R0	3	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	46	47
610	a Ashlar	4th Mon	London	J. Gortzak	M. Steele, 673 Griffith St, London N6K 2S5	7	1	2	10	0	2	1	0	120	134
611	Huron-Bruce	1st Thurs	Toronto	A. Sheffield	P. Katerenchuk, 27 Allonsius Dr, Toronto M9C 3N4	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	51	52
612	a Birch Cliff	2nd Fri	Ajax	M. Remillard	M. Morris, 14 Firth Cres, Toronto M1G 2J5	2	3	3	3	0	0	1	6	84	82
614	Adanac	1st Thurs	St. Catharines	M. Avakian	J. Sorley, 12 Keholme Cres, Thorold L2V 4C1	0	0	1	1	0	1	2	1	61	58
615	Dominion	1st Thurs	Fort Erie	P. Kingston	J. De Heus, 4103 Rebstock Rd, Box 120, Crystal Beach L0S 1B0	1	0	1	0	0	1	2	4	48	42
616	Perfection	2nd Mon	St. Catharines	M. Molnar	M. Locke, 26 Kilkenny Dr, St Catharines L2N 6E3	2	2	4	0	0	3	1	2	52	48
617	a North Bay	2nd Fri	North Bay	P. Tremblay	J. Roberts, 17 Vermont Cr, North Bay P1C 1L5	1	1	1	1	0	2	2	4	130	124
619	Runnymede	2nd Wed	Toronto	B. McMillan	J. Daniele, 157 Adelaide St W, Suite 358, Toronto M5H 4E7	2	1	1	0	0	1	0	1	65	65

620	a Quinte St. Alban's	4th Mon	Thornhill	P. Ghattas	K. Ananiev, 30 Hubner Drive, Richmond Hill L4E 4W7	8	3	2	0	1	11	1	11	84	70
621	Frontenac	2nd Fri	Sharbot Lake	W. Kennedy	E. Zierer, 1140 St George Lake Rd, Sharbot Lake K0H 2P0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	0	25	25
622	Lorne	1st Thurs	Chapleau	D. Broomhead	R. Cooke, 92 Elgin Street, Chapleau P0M 1K0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	61	59
623	Doric	2nd Thurs	Kirkland Lake	R. Freedman	P. Matijek, 5 George St, Kirkland Lake P2N 3G7	0	1	0	0	0	1	2	3	91	85
624	a Dereham	1st Tues	Mount Elgin	D. Paton	J. Taylor, 324102 Mt Elgin Rd, Mount Elgin N0J 1N0	2	3	2	0	0	0	1	0	54	55
625	a Hatherly	2nd Thurs	Sault Ste. Marie	R. Chiarello	I. MacKenzie, 12 Royal Rd, Sault Ste Marie P6C 5G9	5	5	4	0	1	6	2	5	89	82
627	Pelee	2nd Sat	Pelee Island	R. Ronald	F. Noble, 42 Lake Margaret Trail, St Thomas N5R 6K7	0	0	1	2	0	2	1	1	50	48
628	a Glenrose	3rd Tues	Elmira	K. Redmond	W. Clemens, 12 South St W, Elmira N3B 1K7	1	1	2	0	0	1	2	0	64	62
629	Grenville	2nd Wed	Thornhill	D. Manalo	J. Chua, 171 Sexton Cres, North York M2H 2L7	2	2	3	1	0	5	0	1	68	65
630	a Prince Of Wales	4th Fri	Toronto	J. Majjala	I. Visser, 2220 Dale Ridge Drive, Oakville L6M 3L4	4	1	0	0	0	0	4		54	54
631	Manitou	3rd Thurs	Emo	W. Alexander	W. Moody, 1303 Hwy 613 N, Box 222, Devlin P0W 1C0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	2	46	44
632	a Long Branch	3rd Tues	Etobicoke	A. Ewing	M. Schwindt, 23 Woodford Park Rd, Toronto M8Y 3E7	2	2	2	1	1	0	2	1	40	41
634	a Delta	2nd Tues	Aurora	K. Rezvanifar	S. Apostolide, 107 Heathwood Heights Dr, Aurora L4G 4W4	0	3	1	0	0	2	0	0	44	42
635	Wellington	2nd Wed	Maple	A. Kain	M. Jubran, 1675 Enterprise Rd., Mississauga L4W 4L4	5	6	3	1	0	9	2	18	100	77
636	Hornepayne	2nd Wed	Hornepayne	M. Sanger	E. Rendell, 109 Third Ave., Hornepayne P0M 1Z0	1	2	2	0	0	1	1	0	55	54
637	a Caledonia	3rd Mon	Toronto	M. Wilson	B. Pyper, 737 Millwood Rd, Toronto M4G 1V7	0	1	0	0	0	2	3	0	102	97
639	a Beach	2nd Tues	Stoney Creek	M. Kapitan	G. Verrier, 18 Lake Ave, Stoney Creek L8G 3N3	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	85	85
640	a Anthony Sayer	3rd Fri	Etobicoke	D. Stewart	R. Boyles, 84 Yorkview Dr, Etobicoke M8Z 2G2	1	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	26	27
642	a St. andrew's	2nd Fri	Windsor	A. Munro	A. Vojvodin, 2764 St Patrick's Ave, Windsor N9E 3G6	6	5	1	1	1	1	2	0	55	60
644	Simcoe	2nd Thurs	Toronto	L. Semple	T. Van Horne, 33-10 Crown Hill Place, Etobicoke M8Y 4C6	0	0	0	1	0	2	1	1	58	55
645	a Lake Shore	1st Mon	Toronto	M. Winstanley	W. Armstrong, 257 Aldercrest Rd, Toronto M8W 4J9	0	1	2	0	0	0	1	2	57	54
646	a Rowland	1st Tues	Mt. Albert	D. Riches	R. Head, 20 Bens Reign, Stouffville L4A 1M2	3	2	2	1	0	5	4	3	53	45
647	a Todmorden	(June 2017 – surrendered charter)													
649	a Temple	3rd Tues	Oshawa	S. Bowman	W. MacLeod, 460 Holcan Ave, Oshawa L1G 5X6	7	6	5	0	2	1	6	0	107	109
650	Fidelity	1st Mon	Toledo	G. Brown	W. Bell, 748 Kitley Line 3, RR 2,	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	37	39

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653	a Scarboro	2nd Mon	Toronto	S.Ryder	Jasper K0G 1G0 E.Arlitt, 25 Washington Ave, Oakville L6K 1W5	2	1	1	0	0	1	2	3	68	64
654	Ancient Landmarks	4th Tues	Hamilton	J.Kippax	J.Dolbec, 20 Whaley Lane, Ancaster L9G 0G7	3	2	1	1	0	4	5	3	103	95
655	a Kingsway	3rd Mon	Etobicoke	W.Yehia	D.Traves, 167 Sugarhill Dr, Brampton	2	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	55	59
656	a Kenogamisis	(June 2016 – surrendered charter)													
658	Sudbury	3rd Mon	Sudbury	D.Spencer	G.Bate, 1267 Mayfair Crt, Sudbury P3A 3B7	3	0	2	0	1	5	3	2	94	88
659	Equity	2nd Tues	Orillia	E.Robertson	R.Tarullo, 6 Lavender Crt, RR 3, Brechin L0K 1B0	1	1	1	1	2	2	1	1	85	85
660	Chukuni	2nd Wed	Red Lake	L.Young	M.Rogowsky, Box 660, Red Lake P0V 2M0	1	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	52	50
661	a St. Andrew's	4th Fri	St. Catharines	P.Borland	G.McLoughlin, 15 Woodglen Dr, St Catharines L2N 2Y6	2	3	6	1	1	5	1	5	125	118
662	Terrace Bay	2nd Thurs	Terrace Bay	J.Bryson	R.Collings, Box 801, 26 Drake St, Marathon P0T 2E0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	69	69
663	Brant	3rd Mon	Burlington	J.Meecham	M.Michaels, 3185 Spruce Ave, Burlington L7N 1J1	6	3	0	3	0	4	1	4	105	105
664	Sunnylea	2nd Thurs	Etobicoke	J.Robinson	J.Seckington, 14 Govenor Grove Cres, Brampton L6Y 1A6	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	67	68
665	Temple	1st Tues	Ottawa	G.O'Neill	R.Williams, 26 Harris Place, Nepcan K2G 2P2	1	1	1	1	0	2	2	1	75	72
668	Atikokan	2nd Wed	Atikokan	R.Niro	G.McKinnon, Box 1917, Atikokan P0T 1C0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	46	47
670	a West Hill	1st Wed	Toronto	E.Goodwin	J.Ouellette, 14-300 Invergordon Ave, Scarborough M1S 4K7	1	1	1	1	3	11	4	2	82	70
671	a Westmount	4th Tues	Hamilton	D.Bennie	R.Beres, 23 Bloomsbury Court, Ancaster L9G 4L5	2	2	2	3	1	4	0	0	59	61
672	Superior	2nd Wed	Red Rock	S.Henriksson	R.Manz, 218 Phillips St, Thunder Bay P7B 5L7	0	0	0	3	0	2	0	1	49	49
673	Kempenfeldt	1st Tues	Barrie	K.Hebbard	J.Hunter, 3755 Fairway Rd, Innisfil L9S 2L4	3	2	3	1	0	0	2	13	140	129
674	South Gate	1st Tues	Mississauga	A.Avila	A.Nelson, 17413 Airport Rd, Caledon L7K 2J9	3	2	3	8	0	6	1	1	72	75

675	a Wm. J. Dunlop	.....3rd Wed	.....	Peterborough	.....	R. McBride	.....	P. Rhodes, 350 Plati Ave, Peterborough K9L 1C7	1	1	2	1	2	4	0	1	81	80
676	a Kroy	.....3rd Fri	.....	Thornhill	.....	H. Kelesian	.....	Z. Adamji, 3455 Ponytrail Dr, Mississauga L4X 1V9	1	1	2	3	0	3	1	1	41	40
678	a Mercer Wilson	.....3rd Wed	.....	Woodstock	.....	W. Mayes	.....	R. Findlater, 684754 Highway 2, RR 3, Woodstock N4S 7V7	0	2	1	0	0	3	4	1	83	75
680	Woodland	.....2nd Wed	.....	Wawa	.....	T. Dereski	.....	S. Turyk, Box 8-13, Hawk Junction P0S 1G0	1	0	0	2	0	2	3	4	52	46
681	a Claude M. Kent	.....2nd Wed	.....	Oakville	.....	R. Arocena	.....	N. Follett, 2281 Colonel William Parkway, Oakville L6M 0E8	3	3	4	0	0	7	4	3	79	68
683	a Wexford	.....1st Fri	.....	Whitby	.....	P. Penchoff	.....	J. Seale, 9 Royal Aberdeen Rd, Markham L6C 0J9	6	3	4	1	0	0	0	3	98	102
684	a Centennial	.....1st Tues	.....	London	.....	W. McIntyre	.....	M. Gordon, 15 Cluney Place, London N5Z 4H1	3	1	0	0	0	0	12	0	282	273
685	Joseph A. Hearn	.....2nd Fri	.....	Mississauga	.....	M. Ellis	.....	M. Watson, 1607 Birchwood Dr, Mississauga L5J 1T5	4	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	83	87
687	Meridian	.....2nd Wed	.....	Ancaster	.....	J. Deans	.....	R. Joyce, 1023 Garth St, Hamilton L9C 4L5	2	3	1	0	0	2	1	0	62	61
688	a Wyndham	.....3rd Wed	.....	Guelph	.....	P. Everingham	.....	J. Millar, 18 Valleyview Dr, Guelph N1H 6E3	1	1	1	0	2	2	1	0	44	44
689	Flower City	.....2nd Thurs	...	Brampton	.....	S. Davis	.....	S. Ellstrom, 12 Cresswell Dr, Brampton L6Y 2T6	1	1	1	1	0	4	4	2	112	104
691	a Friendship	.....2nd Wed	.....	Sudbury	.....	D. Rowe	.....	J. Miszczak, 4499 St Mary's Blvd, Hanmer P3P 1A9	2	2	1	1	1	3	3	3	81	76
695	Parkwood	.....2nd Thurs	...	Oshawa	.....	G. Smith	.....	K. Sharp, 16 Royal Pines Court, Bowmanville L1C 4P4	4	1	1	0	0	4	1	5	100	94
696	a Harry L Martyn	.....2nd Wed	.....	Toronto	.....	M. Elliott	.....	M. McKenna, 5 Merredin Place, Toronto M3B 1S7	1	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	59	58
697	Grantham	.....Last Mon	.....	St. Catharines	.....	J. White	.....	J. Michlik, 20 Parkhill Road, Fonthill L0S 1E2	0	0	0	1	1	8	3	0	64	55
698	Elliot Lake	.....2nd Wed	.....	Elliot Lake	.....	M. Campbell	.....	G. McCarthy, 88 Taylor Blvd, Elliot Lake P5A 3K2	1	1	2	2	3	2	1	3	89	89
699	a Bethel	.....2nd Fri	.....	Sudbury	.....	T. Sykes	.....	P. Salvas, 1455 Kelly Lake Rd, Sudbury P3E 4L8	1	1	1	1	1	6	0	2	67	62
701	Ashlar	.....3rd Thurs	...	Tillsonburg	.....	D. Simmonds	.....	L. Hicks, 185106 Cornell Rd, Tillsonburg N4G 4G8	0	0	1	2	0	1	0	2	60	59
702	a Lodge Of Fellowship	.....4th Tues	.....	Richmond Hill	.....	D. Miller	.....	S. Soltanzadeh, 12816 McCowan Rd, Stouffville L4A 7X5	0	0	1	0	0	3	1	2	66	60
705	a Universe	.....2nd Tues	.....	Toronto	.....	M. Henderson	.....	J. Law, 14 Aspendale Dr, Scarborough M1P 4J6	8	3	5	0	0	3	1	0	76	80
706	David T. Campbell	.....3rd Thurs	...	Whitby	.....	J. Dean	.....	J. Johnson, 932 Bayview Ave, Whitby L1N 1E1	5	2	3	0	0	4	2	4	151	146
708	a Oakridge	.....3rd Thurs	.....	London	.....	D. Humphrey	.....	L. Thomas, 543 Country Club Dr, London N6C 5R3	3	3	0	0	0	7	1	2	46	39
710	Unity	.....1st Thurs	.....	Brampton	.....	D. Hill	.....	H. Omardeen, 83 Amaranth Street E, Grand Valley L9W 5L4	4	1	3	0	2	2	1	2	88	89
712	a Trafalgar2nd Thurs	...	Oakville	K. Harrower	J. Evans, 205-36 East St, Oakville L6L 5K2	2	3	2	1	1	4	0	0	79	79

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714	a Battlefield	4th Mon	Stoney Creek	S. Stafford	S. Alexander, 515 Acadia Dr., Hamilton L8W 3A3	5	6	4	0	0	2	0	0	88	91
716	a Ionic	3rd Wed	London	B. Parkin	J. Angle, 40 Lysanda Ave., London N5Z 4L3	1	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	82	81
718	Twin Lakes	3rd Wed	Orillia	W. Beardwood	P. Weir, 419 Mooney Cres, Orillia L3V 6R5	5	3	4	0	0	2	5	1	67	64
721	Bytown	3rd Thurs	Ottawa	J. Hawkins	D. MacDonald, 135 Springcreek Cres, Ottawa K2M 2M1	1	0	0	0	1	4	1	1	53	49
722	a Concord	1st Thurs	Cambridge	G. Colson	J. Roos, 72 St Jerome Cres, Kitchener N2C 2L2	0	0	3	0	2	3	0	0	55	54
724	a Trillium	3rd Thurs	Guelph	D. Stewart	L. Sulzer, 19 Jason Dr, Guelph N1E 0N3	7	4	1	2	2	4	0	1	55	61
725	a Wellington Square	2nd Thurs	Burlington	R. McPhail	R. Fitzgerald, 5097 Meadowhill Rd, Burlington L7L 3K7	2	2	2	1	0	2	3	0	78	76
727	Mount Moriah	(October 2017- surrendered charter)				2	1	1	3	0	1	2	2	130	130
729	Friendship	2nd Wed	Whitby	T. Hawken	C. Sturgeon, 12 Albany Cres, Ajax L2S 2Y3	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	73	74
730	a Heritage	3rd Wed	Cambridge	W. Utton	A. McCausland, 411-1400 Dixie Rd, Mississauga L5E 3E1	0	0	0	4	0	10	13	3	401	379
733	Anniversary	2nd Wed	Etobicoke	H. Schmitz	E. Anderson, 1405-15 La Rose Ave, Etobicoke M9P 1A7	0	0	0	1	0	1	2	0	75	73
734	West Gate	4th Wed	Streetsville	K. Furlong	C. Brown, 365 Enfield Rd, Burlington L7T 4E7	4	5	4	3	1	3	0	1	115	119
735	a London Daylight	3rd Sat	London	W. Walker	W. Elliott, 31 Glenroy Rd, London N5Z 4H2	1	0	0	3	0	0	2	0	51	53
736	Edinburgh	1st Wed	Ottawa	D. Chartrand	G. Simpson, 773 Percifor Way, Orleans K1W 0E5	6	0	2	1	0	6	1	0	88	88
737	Innisfil	4th Thurs	Stroud	B. Goodyear	D. Boyd, 1 Kelly Place, Barrie L4N 8N2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	89	89
738	a Chinguacousy	4th Mon	Brampton	L. Caprio	R. Lipovsek, 60 Wings Rd, Suite 1, Woodbridge L4L 6B1	4	1	2	2	0	5	9	3	128	117
740	Ibrox	4th Fri	Brampton	J. Brown	W. Pratt, 67 Learmont Ave, Caledon L7C 3R2	1	0	0	0	0	2	2	0	162	159
741	Luxor Daylight	3rd Wed	Ottawa	R. Ledingham	J. Saunders, Box 893, 2509 Concession Rd, Kemptville K0G 1J0	0	0	0	1	0	4	4	0	51	44

742	<u>Royal City Daylight</u>	4th Thurs	Guelph	M. Woolley	R. Jewell, 10 Parkholme Ave, Guelph N1E 2S3	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	34	32
744	a <u>New Light Lodge</u>	4th Sat	Cambridge	R. Dreyer	G. Fries, 17 Lark St, Kitchener N2K 1G4	1	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	35	34
745	a <u>Brock Daylight</u>	2nd Sat	St. Catharines	W. Booth	E. Dunsmore, 6 Farewell Cr, Smithville LOR 2A0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	37	35
746	a <u>Templum Fidelis</u>	3rd Sat	Bath	D. Wright	S. Pere, 119-539 Armstrong Rd, Kingston K7M 0C6	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	25	25
747	a Templum Lucis	3rd Thurs	Perth	N. Dolson	S. Budge, 15 Church St, Stratford N5A 2P9	0	0	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	15
748	a Goodfellow	3rd Wed	Parry Sound	R. Goodfellow	J. Haller, 169-4717 Muskoka Rd, Kingston K7M 0C6	0	0	0	85	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	84

Note: Where no name/address of secretary shown, those lodges either amalgamated or closed during the year 2015 & 2016.

List of Lodges – By Districts

Denotes Daylight Lodge

Lodges – 8	ALGOMA DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2016 – 713
	D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Neil A. Lundberg, Thunder Bay		
No. 287–Shuniah	Thunder Bay	No. 584–Kaministiquia	Thunder Bay
No. 415–Fort William.....	Thunder Bay	No. 636–Hornepayne	Hornepayne
No. 499–Port Arthur	Thunder Bay	No. 662–Terrace Bay	Terrace Bay
No. 511–Connaught.....	Thunder Bay	No. 672–Superior.....	Red Rock
Lodges – 8	ALGOMA EAST DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2016 – 612
	D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Rodney N. Caughill, Sault Ste Marie		
No. 412–Keystone	Sault Ste. Marie	No. 622–Lorne.....	Chapleau
No. 442–Dyment.....	Thessalon	No. 625–Hatherly	Sault Ste. Marie
No. 469–Algoma.....	Sault Ste. Marie	No. 680–Woodland.....	Wawa
No. 487–Penewobikong.....	Blind River	No. 698–Elliot Lake.....	Elliot Lake
Lodges – 13	BRANT DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2016 – 869
	D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Fred Sebring, La Salette		
No. 35–St. John's	Cayuga	No. 319–Hiram	Hagersville
No. 45–Brant	Brantford	No. 329–King Solomon	Jarvis
No. 82–St. John's	Paris	No. 505–Lynden	Lynden
No. 106–Burford.....	Burford	No. 508–Ozias	Burford
No. 113–Wilson.....	Waterford	No. 515–Reba	Paris
No. 193–Scotland	Oakland	No. 519–Onondaga	Onondaga
No. 243–St. George	St. George		
Lodges – 12	BRUCE DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2016 – 733
	D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. James O. Wark, Paisley		
No. 131–St. Lawrence	Saugeen Shores	No. 393–Forest	Paisley
No. 197–Saugeen.....	Walkerton	No. 396–Cedar.....	Wiarton
No. 235–Aldworth	Paisley	No. 429–Port Elgin	Port Elgin
No. 262–Harriston	Harriston	No. 431–Moravian	Cargill
No. 315–Clifford.....	Harriston	No. 432–Hanover.....	Hanover
No. 362–Maple Leaf.....	Tara	No. 436–Burns.....	Hepworth
Lodges – 10	CHATHAM DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2016 – 546
	D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. David J. Robert, Erieau		
No. 46–Wellington-Victory	Chatham	No. 312–Pnyx Baldoon.....	Wallaceburg
No. 245–Tecumseh Sydenham.....	Thamesville	No. 327–Hammond.....	Wardsville
No. 267–Parthenon	Chatham	No. 336–Hiram	Highgate
No. 274–Kent.....	Blenheim	No. 422–Star of the East	Bothwell
No. 282–Lorne.....	Glencoe	No. 457–Century.....	Merlin
Lodges – 12	EASTERN DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2016 – 577
	D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Andrew Ciastek, St. Eugene		
No. 21a–St. John's.....	Vankleek Hill	No. 320–North Dundas	Winchester
No. 125–Cornwall-Corinthian.....	Ingleside	No. 418–Glengarry Highland.....	Maxville
No. 143–Friendly Brothers'.....	Iroquois	No. 439–Alexandria.....	Alexandria
No. 186–Plantagenet.....	Riceville	No. 450–Hawkesbury	Maxville
No. 207–Lancaster	Lancaster	No. 452–Avonmore	Monkland
No. 256–Lost Villages	Ingleside	No. 596–Martintown.....	Lancaster
Lodges – 14	ESSEX COUNTY		Membership Dec 2016 – 945
	D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Daniel W. Chamney, Windsor		
No. 34–Thistle	Amherstburg	No. 448–Xenophon.....	Wheatley
No. 41–St. George's	Kingsville	No. 500–Rose	Windsor
No. 47–Great Western	Windsor	No. 521–Trinity	Windsor
No. 290–Leamington	Leamington	No. 554–Border Cities.....	Windsor
No. 395–Parvaim-Central	Essex	No. 579–Harmony	Windsor
No. 403–Windsor.....	Windsor	No. 627–Peelee.....	Peelee Island
No. 413–Naphtali.....	Tilbury	No. 642–St. Andrew’s.....	Windsor

Lodges – 14

FRONTENAC DISTRICT

Membership Dec 2016 – 764

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Jeffrey M. Catcke, Lansdowne

No. 3–Ancient St. John's Kingston
 No. 9–Union Napanee
 No. 92–Royal Edward of Cataraqui Kingston
 No. 109–Albion Harrowsmith
 No. 119–Maple Leaf Bath
 No. 146–Prince of Wales Napanee
 No. 157–Simpson Newboro

No. 201–Leeds Gananoque
 No. 253–Rideau Minden Kingston
 No. 299–Victoria Napanee
 No. 497–St. Andrew's Madoc
 No. 578–Queen's Kingston
 No. 621–Frontenac Sharbot Lake
No. 746–Templum Fidelis Bath

Lodges – 10

GEORGIAN NORTH DISTRICT

Membership Dec 2016 – 897

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Terry W. Kirk, Coldwater

No. 90–Manito Collingwood
 No. 192–Orillia Orillia
 No. 234–Beaver Thornbury
 No. 249–Bayport Victoria Harbour
 No. 266–Northern Light Stayner

No. 348–Huron Midland
 No. 466–Coronation Elmvale
 No. 492–Kamak Orillia
 No. 659–Equity Orillia
 No. 718–Twin Lakes Orillia

Lodges – 10

GEORGIAN SOUTH DISTRICT

Membership Dec 2016 – 972

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Phillip J. Laundry, Barrie

No. 96–Corinthian Barrie
 No. 230–Kerr Barrie
 No. 236–Manitoba Cookstown
 No. 285–Seven Star Alliston
 No. 304–Minerva Stroud

No. 385–Spry Beeton
 No. 444–Nitetis Creemore
 No. 467–Tottenham Tottenham
 No. 673–Kempfenfeldt Barrie
 No. 737–Innisfil Stroud

Lodges – 12

GREY DISTRICT

Membership Dec 2016 – 780

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Robert V. Rounding, Shelburne

No. 88–St. George's Owen Sound
 No. 137–Pythagoras Meaford
 No. 200–St. Alban's Mount Forest
 No. 216–Harris Orangeville
 No. 306–Durham Durham
 No. 322–North Star Owen Sound

No. 333–Prince Arthur Flesherton
 No. 334–Prince Arthur Arthur
 No. 377–Lorne Shelburne
 No. 421–Scott Grand Valley
 No. 449–Dundalk Dundalk
 No. 490–Hiram Markdale

Lodges – 14

HAMILTON DISTRICT A

Membership Dec 2016 – 1,085

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. R. Larry Hinkley, Stoney Creek

No. 6–Barton (The) Hamilton
 No. 40–St. John's Hamilton
 No. 135–St. Clair Milton
 No. 165–Burlington Burlington
 No. 357–Waterdown Millgrove
 No. 400–Oakville Oakville
 No. 475–Dundurn Hamilton

No. 551–Tuscan Hamilton
 No. 603–Campbell Campbellville
 No. 639–Beach Stoney Creek
 No. 663–Brant Burlington
 No. 681–Claude M. Kent Oakville
 No. 712–Trafalgar Oakville
 No. 725–Wellington Square Burlington

Lodges – 11

HAMILTON DISTRICT B

Membership Dec 2016 – 826

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Ray A. Young, Hamilton

No. 7–Union Grimsby
 No. 27–Strict Observance Stoney Creek
 No. 57–Harmony Binbrook
 No. 61–Acacia Hamilton
 No. 62–St. Andrew's Caledonia
 No. 166–Wentworth Stoney Creek

No. 185–Enniskillen Binbrook
 No. 544–Lincoln Abingdon
 No. 593–St. Andrew's Hamilton
 No. 594–Hillcrest Hamilton
 No. 714–Battlefield Stoney Creek

Lodges – 13

HAMILTON DISTRICT C

Membership Dec 2016 – 958

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Craig L. Knapman, Hamilton

No. 100–Valley Dundas
 No. 272–Seymour Ancaster
 No. 291–Dufferin W. Flamboro
 No. 324–Temple Hamilton
 No. 495–Electric Hamilton
 No. 513–Corinthian Hamilton
 No. 549–Ionic Hamilton

No. 550–Buchanan Hamilton
 No. 555–Wardrope Hamilton
 No. 602–Hugh Murray Hamilton
 No. 654–Anc Landmarks (... Doric) Hamilton
 No. 671–Westmount Hamilton
 No. 687–Meridian Ancaster

Lodges – 13

LONDON EAST DISTRICT

Membership Dec 2016 – 1,206

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Michael R. Graystone, London

No. 20–St. John's London
 No. 64–Kilwinning London
 No. 190–Belmont..... Belmont
 No. 300–Mount Olivet..... Thorndale
 No. 344–Merrill Nilestown
 No. 345–Nilestown Nilestown
 No. 379–Middlesex..... London

No. 380–Union London
 No. 399–Moffat London
 No. 597–Temple London
 No. 684–Centennial London
 No. 716–Ionic London
No. 735–London Daylight..... London

Lodges – 11

LONDON WEST DISTRICT

Membership Dec 2016 – 888

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Jeffrey E. Davidson, London

No. 42–St. George's London
 No. 81–St. John's Mount Brydges
 No. 107–St. Paul's..... Lambeth
 No. 195–Tuscan..... London
 No. 209a–St. John's..... London
 No. 289–Doric Lobo

No. 330–Corinthian London
 No. 378–King Solomon's..... London
 No. 388–Harmony London
 No. 610–Ashlar..... London
 No. 708–Oakridge..... London

Lodges – 15

NIAGARA DISTRICT A

Membership Dec 2016 – 1,012

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Thomas A. Wills, Grimsby

No. 2–Niagara..... Niagara-on-the-Lake
 No. 15–St. George's St. Catharines
 No. 32–Amity Dunnville
 No. 103–Maple Leaf..... St. Catharines
 No. 115–Ivy Beamsville
 No. 221–Mountain St. Catharines
 No. 277–Seymour St. Catharines
 No. 296–Temple St. Catharines

No. 338–Dufferin..... Wellandport
 No. 502–Coronation..... Smithville
 No. 614–Adanac St. Catharines
 No. 616–Perfection St. Catharines
 No. 661–St. Andrew's St. Catharines
 No. 697–Grantham..... St. Catharines
No. 745–Brock Daylight..... St. Catharines

Lodges – 11

NIAGARA DISTRICT B

Membership Dec 2016 – 680

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Nicholas Andras, Niagara Falls

No. 105–St. Mark's Niagara Falls
 No. 168–Merritt..... Welland
 No. 169–Macnab..... Port Colborne
 No. 254–Clifton..... Niagara Falls
 No. 337–Myrtle Port Robinson
 No. 372–Palmer Fort Erie

No. 373–Cope-Stone..... Fonthill
 No. 471–King Edward VII..... Niagara Falls
 No. 535–Phoenix Fonthill
 No. 573–Adoniram Niagara Falls
 No. 615–Dominion Fort Erie

Lodges – 11

NIPISSING MUSKOKA DISTRICT

Membership Dec 2016 – 959

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Matt Plant, Powassan

No. 360–Muskoka..... Bracebridge
 No. 376–Unity Huntsville
 No. 405–Mattawa North Bay
 No. 409–Golden Rule Bracebridge
 No. 420–Nipissing North Bay
 No. 423–Strong..... Sundridge

No. 434–Algonquin Emsdale
 No. 443–Powassan..... Powassan
 No. 447–Sturgeon Falls Sturgeon Falls
 No. 454–Corona..... Burks Falls
 No. 617–North Bay..... North Bay

Lodges – 8

NORTH HURON DISTRICT

Membership Dec 2016 – 479

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Keith P. Heydon, Tiverton

No. 93–Northern Light..... Kincardine
 No. 162–Forest Wroxeter
 No. 225–Bernard..... Listowel
 No. 286–Wingham..... Wingham

No. 314–Blair Palmerston
 No. 331–Fordwich Fordwich
 No. 341–Bruce..... Tiverton
 No. 568–Hullett Londesboro

Lodges – 15

ONTARIO DISTRICT

Membership Dec 2016 – 1,481

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. John Wallace, Ajax

No. 17–St. John's Cobourg
 No. 26–Ontario Port Hope
 No. 30–Composite Whitby
 No. 31–Jerusalem Bowmanville
 No. 39–Mount Zion Brooklin
 No. 66–Durham Newcastle
 No. 91–Colborne..... Colborne
 No. 114–Hope..... Port Hope

No. 139–Lebanon Oshawa
 No. 270–Cedar..... Oshawa
 No. 325–Orono Orono
 No. 428–Fidelity Port Perry
 No. 649–Temple Oshawa
 No. 695–Parkwood Oshawa
 No. 706–David T. Campbell Whitby

Lodges – 15

OTTAWA DISTRICT 1

Membership Dec 2016 – 1,139

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Trevor Hemmerling, Ottawa

No. 58–Doric Ottawa
 No. 63–St. John's Carleton Place
 No. 147–Mississippi Almonte
 No. 148–Civil Service Ottawa
 No. 159–Goodwood Richmond
 No. 231–Lodge of Fidelity Ottawa
 No. 371–Prince of Wales Ottawa
 No. 465–Carleton Carp

No. 479–Russell Russell
 No. 517–Hazeldean Kanata
 No. 558–Sidney Albert Luke Ottawa
 No. 560–St. Andrew's Ottawa
 No. 561–Acacia Ottawa
 No. 665–Temple Ottawa
 No. 736–Edinburgh Ottawa

Lodges – 12

OTTAWA DISTRICT 2

Membership Dec 2016 – 853

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Robert H., Clarke, Ottawa

No. 52–Dalhousie Ottawa
 No. 122–Renfrew Renfrew
 No. 128–Pembroke Pembroke
 No. 177–The Builders Ottawa
 No. 196–Madawaska Arnprior
 No. 264–Chaudiere Ottawa

No. 459–Cobden Cobden
 No. 526–Ionic Ottawa
 No. 564–Ashlar Ottawa
 No. 590–Defenders Ottawa
 No. 721–Bytown Ottawa
No. 741–Luxor Daylight Ottawa

Lodges – 11

PETERBOROUGH DISTRICT

Membership Dec 2016 – 813

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Andrew C. Stevenson, Bailieboro

No. 101–Corinthian Peterborough
 No. 126–Golden Rule Hastings Campbellford
 No. 145–J. B. Hall Millbrook
 No. 155–Peterborough Peterborough
 No. 161–Percy Warkworth
 No. 223–Norwood Norwood

No. 313–Clementi Peterborough
 No. 374–Keene Keene
 No. 435–Havelock Havelock
 No. 523–Royal Arthur Peterborough
 No. 675–William James Dunlop Peterborough

Lodges – 10

PRINCE EDWARD DISTRICT

Membership Dec 2016 – 1,116

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Stewart Westhead, Picton

No. 11–Belleville-Moira Belleville
 No. 18–Prince Edward Picton
 No. 29–United Brighton
 No. 38–Trent Frankford
 No. 48–Madoc/Marmora/Tweed Madoc

No. 50–Consecon Consecon
 No. 69–Quinte Stirling
 No. 164–Star-in-the-East Picton
 No. 215–Lake Ameliasburg
 No. 482–Bancroft Bancroft

Lodges – 17

ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICT

Membership Dec 2016 – 1,042

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Richard A. Denison, Brockville

No. 5–Sussex Brockville
 No. 14–True Britons' Perth
 No. 24–St. Francis Smiths Falls
 No. 28–Mount Zion Kemptville
 No. 55–Merrickville Burritt's Rapids
 No. 74–St. James Brockville
 No. 85–Rising Sun Athens
 No. 110–Central Prescott
 No. 209–Evergreen Lanark

No. 242–Macoy Lyn
 No. 368–Salem Brockville
 No. 370–Harmony Elgin
 No. 387–Lansdowne Lansdowne
 No. 416–Lyn Lyn
 No. 504–Otter Lombardy
 No. 556–Nation Spencerville
 No. 650–Fidelity Toledo

Lodges – 9

ST. THOMAS DISTRICT

Membership Dec 2016 – 736

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. R. Derek Coniam, St. Thomas

No. 44–St. Thomas Talbot St. Thomas
 No. 94–St. Mark's St. Thomas
 No. 120–Warren Fingal
 No. 140–Malahide Aylmer
 No. 171–Prince of Wales Iona Station

No. 232–Cameron Dutton
 No. 302–St. David's St. Thomas
 No. 364–Dufferin Melbourne
 No. 386–West Elgin Rodney

Lodges – 14

SARNIA DISTRICT

Membership Dec 2016 – 984

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Ivan A. Bryce, Watford

No. 56–Victoria Sarnia
 No. 83–Beaver Strathroy

No. 116–Cassia Ravenswood
 No. 153–Burns' Wyoming

SARNIA DISTRICT (cont'd)

No. 158—Alexandra-Inwood.....	Oil Springs	No. 328—Ionic	Napier
No. 194—Petrolia Washington	Petrolia	No. 392—Huron	Camlachie
No. 238—Havelock	Watford	No. 397—Leopold	Brigden
No. 294—Moore.....	Sarnia	No. 419—Liberty.....	Sarnia
No. 307—Arkona	Arkona	No. 425—St. Clair	Sombra

Lodges — 10		SOUTH HURON DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2016 — 812	
		D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Terence P. Ridgway, Waterloo			
No. 33—Maitland.....	Goderich	No. 170—Britannia.....	Seaforth		
No. 73—St. James	St. Marys	No. 309—Morning Star-Clinton	Carlow		
No. 133—Lebanon Forest.....	Exeter	No. 332—Stratford	Stratford		
No. 141—Tudor.....	Mitchell	No. 483—Granton	Granton		
No. 144—Tecumseh.....	Stratford	No. 574—Craig	Ailsa Craig		

Lodges — 9		SUDBURY-MANITOULIN DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2016 — 727	
D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Jason A. Ashley, Sudbury and R.W. Bro. Clive D. Stephenson, Hanmer					
No. 427—Nickel..... Sudbury		No. 588—National.....Capreol			
No. 455—Doric Little Current		No. 658—Sudbury Sudbury			
No. 472—Gore Bay Gore Bay		No. 691—Friendship Sudbury			
No. 527—Espanola..... Espanola		No. 699—Bethel..... Sudbury			
No. 536—Algonquin Sudbury					

Lodges — 7		TEMISKAMING DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2016 — 397	
		D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Ian B. MacPherson, Kenogami			
No. 462—Temiskaming.....	Elk Lake	No. 534—Englehart	Englehart		
No. 506—Porcupine	Timmins	No. 540—Abitibi	Iroquois Falls		
No. 507—Elk Lake.....	Elk Lake	No. 623—Doric	Kirkland Lake		
No. 528—Golden Beaver.....	Timmins				

Lodges — 19		TORONTO DON VALLEY DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2016 — 1,557	
D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Lawrence Ben-Eliezer, Toronto					
No. 16— St. Andrew's ....(St. Johns)	Toronto	No. 570—Dufferin.....	Thornhill		
No. 25—Ionic	Toronto	No. 581—Harcourt	Toronto		
No. 86—Zetland Wilson.....	Toronto	No. 586—Remembrance.....	Thornhill		
No. 156—York	Toronto	No. 592—Fairbank	Toronto		
No. 265—Patterson Grey.....	Thornhill	No. 611—Huron-Bruce.....	Toronto		
No. 316—Doric	Thornhill	No. 620—Quinte St. Alban's.....	Thornhill		
No. 367—St. George	Toronto	No. 629—Grenville	Thornhill		
No. 522—Mount Sinai- Pillars	Thornhill	No. 676—Kroy	Thornhill		
No. 531—High Park Melita.....	Thornhill	No. 696—Harry L. Martyn	Toronto		
No. 559—Mosaic.....	Thornhill				

Lodges — 18		TORONTO EAST DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2016 — 1,498	
		D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. Gerald J. Newall, Whitby			
No. 87—Markham Union	Claremont	No. 543—Imperial East Gate.....	Toronto		
No. 269—Brougham Union.....	Claremont	No. 576—Mimosa	Toronto		
No. 384—Alpha Tuscan	Toronto	No. 612—Birch Cliff.....	East Toronto		
No. 424—Doric	Ajax	No. 637—Caledonia	Toronto		
No. 430—Acacia	Toronto	No. 653—Scarboro	Toronto		
No. 473—Beaches (The)	Toronto	No. 670—West Hill	Toronto		
No. 494—Riverdale JR Robertson.....	Toronto	No. 683—Wexford	Whitby		
No. 520—Coronati	Whitby	No. 705—Universe	Toronto		
No. 532—Canada	Whitby	No. 729—Friendship	Whitby		

Lodges — 20		TORONTO HUMBER VALLEY DISTRICT		Membership Dec 2016 — 1,456	
		D.D.G.M. — R.W. Bro. S. Fahir Benli, Mississauga			
No. 65—Rehoboam	Etobicoke	No. 343—Georgina.....	Toronto		
No. 247—Ashlar St. Clair.....	Toronto	No. 369—Mimico.....	Etobicoke		
No. 305—Humber	Weston	No. 410—Zeta-Shamrock	Toronto		
No. 339—Orient	Toronto	No. 510—Perfect Column.....	Etobicoke		

TORONTO HUMBER VALEEEY DISTRICT (cont'd)

No. 537—Ulster.....Toronto	No. 606—Unity Etobicoke
No. 547—Victory..... Toronto	No. 644—Simcoe .....Toronto
No. 571—Antiquity .....Toronto	No. 655—Kingsway Etobicoke
No. 575—Trillium .....Toronto	No. 664—Sunnylea..... Etobicoke
No. 599—Astra-Mt. Dennis..... Weston	No. 713—Bridgewood..... Etobicoke
No. 600—Maple Leaf..... Etobicoke	No. 733—Anniversary Etobicoke

Lodges – 22 TORONTO WEST DISTRICT Membership Dec 2016 – 1,966

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Manoj J. Dave, Toronto

No. 229—Ionic .....Brampton	No. 630—Prince of Wales .....Toronto
No. 356—River Park Mississauga	No. 632—Long Branch..... Etobicoke
No. 468—Peel Caledon East	No. 640—Anthony Sayer..... Etobicoke
No. 474—Victoria .....Toronto	No. 645—Lake Shore .....Toronto
No. 496—University.....Toronto	No. 674—South Gate..... Mississauga
No. 501—Connaught..... Etobicoke	No. 685—Joseph A. Hearn Mississauga
No. 524—Mississauga Mississauga	No. 689—Flower City Brampton
No. 548—General Mercer .....Toronto	No. 710—Unity Brampton
No. 565—Kilwinning .....Toronto	No. 734—West Gate.....Streetsville
No. 566—King Hiram .....Toronto	No. 738—Chinguacousy..... Brampton
No. 619—Runnymede .....Toronto	No. 740—Ibrox..... Brampton

Lodges – 14 VICTORIA DISTRICT Membership Dec 2016 – 785

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Lawrence F. Bell, Cameron

No. 77—Faithful Brethren .....Lindsay	No. 440—Arcadia..... Minden
No. 268—Verulam .....Bobcaygeon	No. 451—Somerville Kinmount
No. 354—Brock.....Cannington	No. 463—North Entrance Haliburton
No. 375—Lorne..... Omemee	No. 464—King Edward Sunderland
No. 398—Victoria .....Kirkfield	No. 477—Harding Woodville
No. 406—Spry..... Fenelon Falls	No. 498—King George V Coboconk
No. 408—Murray Beaverton	No. 608—Gothic.....Lindsay

Lodges – 12 WATERLOO DISTRICT Membership Dec 2016 – 751

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. R. Ronald Bock, Elmira

No. 72—Alma .....Cambridge	No. 318—Wilmot Baden
No. 151—Grand River.....Waterloo	No. 509—Twin City Waterloo
No. 172—Ayr Cambridge	No. 539—Waterloo..... Waterloo
No. 205—New Dominion..... Baden	No. 628—Glenrose Elmira
No. 279—Mystic Tie Cambridge	No. 722—Concord.....Cambridge
No. 297—Preston Cambridge	No. 744—New Light..... Cambridge

Lodges – 11 WELLINGTON DISTRICT Membership Dec 2016 – 663

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Robert S. Wilson, Belwood

No. 180—Speed.....Guelph	No. 321—Walker Friendship Georgetown
No. 203—Two Rivers.....Fergus	No. 361—Waverley .....Guelph
No. 219—Credit Georgetown	No. 688—Wyndham.....Guelph
No. 258—Guelph.....Guelph	No. 724—Trillium .....Guelph
No. 271—Wellington..... Erin	No. 742—Royal City Daylight.....Guelph
No. 295—Conestogo Drayton	

Lodges – 10 WESTERN DISTRICT Membership Dec 2016 – 525

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Robert D. Kitowski, Kenora

No. 414—Pequonga.....Kenora	No. 484—Golden Star Dryden
No. 417—Keewatin Keewatin	No. 518—Sioux Lookout..... Sioux Lookout
No. 445—Lake of the Woods .....Kenora	No. 631—Manitou .....Emo
No. 446—Granite Fort Francis	No. 660—Chukuni..... Red Lake
No. 461—Ionic Rainy River	No. 668—Atikokan.....Atikokan

Lodges – 10 WILSON NORTH DISTRICT Membership Dec 2016 – 679

D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. S. James Harrison, Embro

No. 37—King Hiram Ingersoll	No. 250—Thistle Innerkip
No. 43—King Solomon's..... Woodstock	No. 261—Oak Branch Innerkip
No. 68—St. John's Ingersoll	No. 569—Doric Corinthian..... Lakeside
No. 76—Oxford..... Woodstock	No. 609—Tavistock.....Tavistock
No. 108—Blenheim..... Innerkip	No. 678—Mercer Wilson..... Woodstock

Lodges – 8		WILSON SOUTH DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2016 – 628
		D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. W. Peter Butler, Port Dover	
No. 10–Norfolk.....	Simcoe	No. 181–Oriental	Vienna
No. 78–King Hiram	Tillsonburg	No. 237–Vienna.....	Vienna
No. 104–Three Great Lights	Delhi	No. 624–Dereham.....	Mount Elgin
No. 149–Erie.....	Port Dover	No. 701–Ashlar.....	Tillsonburg

Lodges – 19		YORK DISTRICT	Membership Dec 2016 – 1,447
		D.D.G.M. – R.W. Bro. Ross T. Guerrero, North York	
No. 22–King Solomon's	Richmond Hill	No. 220–Zeredatha.....	Uxbridge
No. 23–Richmond.....	Richmond Hill	No. 292–Robertson.....	Aurora
No. 54–Maple	Maple	No. 311–Blackwood	Maple
No. 79–Simcoe	Bradford	No. 481–Corinthian	Newmarket
No. 97–Sharon	Queensville	No. 512–Malone	Sutton West
No. 98–True Blue	Bolton	No. 634–Delta.....	Aurora
No. 99–Tuscan.....	Newmarket	No. 635–Wellington.....	Maple
No. 118–Union	Schomberg	No. 646–Rowland	Mount Albert
No. 129–Rising Sun.....	Aurora	No. 702–Lodge of Fellowship.....	Richmond Hill
No. 136–Richardson	Stouffville		

RESEARCH LODGE – NO. 730 – Heritage Cambridge Membership Dec 2016 — 379

RECAPITULATION (523 Lodges)			
Algoma .....8	Hamilton B 11	Prince Edward 10	Waterloo..... 12
Algoma East.....8	Hamilton C 13	St Lawrence..... 17	Wellington..... 11
Brant .....13	London East..... 13	St Thomas..... 9	Western 10
Bruce.....12	London West 11	Sarnia 14	Wilson North..... 10
Chatham.....10	Niagara A 15	South Huron 10	Wilson South..... 8
Eastern .....12	Niagara B..... 11	Sud-Manitoulin..... 9	York 19
Essex County .....14	Nipissing Muskoka .. 11	Temiskaming..... 7	Research Lodge..... 1
Frontenac .....14	North Huron 8	Toronto Don Valley.. 19	
Georgian North .....10	Ontario..... 15	Toronto East 18	
Georgian South .....10	Ottawa 1 15	Tor. Humber Valley.. 20	
Grey .....12	Ottawa 2 12	Toronto West..... 22	
Hamilton A .....14	Peterborough 11	Victoria..... 14	

LODGES – ALPHABETICALLY

Denotes Daylight Lodge

No and Name	District and Location	No and Name	District and Location
540 Abitibi.....	Temiskaming, Timmins	165 Burlington.....	Hamilton A, Burlington
61 Acacia.....	Hamilton B, Hamilton	436 Burns	Bruce, Hepworth
430 Acacia.....	Toronto East, Toronto	153 Burns'.....	Sarnia, Wyoming
561 Acacia.....	Ottawa 1, Ottawa	721 Bytown	Ottawa 2, Ottawa
614 Adanac.....	Niagara A, St Catharines	637 Caledonia.....	Toronto East, Toronto
573 Adoniram.....	Niagara B, Niagara Falls	232 Cameron	St Thomas, Dutton
109 Albion.....	Frontenac, Harrowsmith	603 Campbell	Hamilton A, Campbellville
235 Aldworth.....	Bruce, Paisley	532 Canada.....	Toronto East, Whitby
158 Alexandra-Inwood	Sarnia, Oil Springs	465 Carleton	Ottawa 1, Carp
439 Alexandria	Eastern, Alexandria	116 Cassia	Sarnia, Ravenswood
469 Algoma	Algoma East, S S Marie	270 Cedar	Ontario, Oshawa
434 Algonquin.....	Nipissing Muskoka, Emsdale	396 Cedar	Bruce, Wiarton
536 Algonquin.....	Sud-Manitoulin, Sudbury	684 Centennial.....	London East, London
72 Alma.....	Waterloo, Cambridge	110 Central.....	St Lawrence, Prescott
384 Alpha Tuscan.....	Toronto East, Toronto	457 Century	Chatham, Merlin
32 Amity.....	Niagara A, Dunnville	264 Chaudiere.....	Ottawa 2, Ottawa
654 Anc Landmarks (...Doric)	Ham C, Ham	738 Chinguacousy	Toronto West, Brampton
3 Anc St John's	Frontenac, Kingston	660 Chukuni.....	Western, Red Lake
733 Anniversary	Tor H Valley, Etobicoke	148 Civil Service	Ottawa 1, Ottawa
640 Anthony Sayer	Toronto West, Etobicoke	681 Claude M Kent.....	Hamilton A, Oakville
571 Antiquity.....	Tor Humber Valley, Toronto	313 Clementi	Peterborough, Peterb
440 Arcadia	Victoria, Minden	315 Clifford	Bruce, Harriston
307 Arkona.....	Sarnia, Arkona	254 Clifton.....	Niagara B, Niagara Falls
564 Ashlar	Ottawa 2, Ottawa	459 Cobden	Ottawa 2, Cobden
610 Ashlar	London West, London	91 Colborne.....	Ontario, Colborne
701 Ashlar	Wilson South, Tillsonburg	30 Composite.....	Ontario, Whitby
247 Ashlar St. Clair	Tor H Valley, Toronto	722 Concord	Waterloo, Cambridge
599 Astra-Mt Dennis	Tor H Valley, Weston	295 Conestogo.....	Wellington, Drayton
668 Atikokan	Western, Atikokan	501 Connaught	Toronto West, Etobicoke
452 Avonmore	Eastern, Monkland	511 Connaught	Algoma, Thunder Bay
172 Ayr.....	Waterloo, Cambridge	50 Consecon	Prince Edward, Consecon
482 Bancroft.....	Prince Edward, Bancroft	373 Cope-Stone	Niagara B, Fonthill
6 Barton (The)	Hamilton A, Hamilton	96 Corinthian.....	Georgian South, Barrie
714 Battlefield	Hamilton B, Stoney Cr	101 Corinthian.....	Peterborough, Peterb
249 Bayport	Georgian North, Victoria Harbour	330 Corinthian.....	London West, London
639 Beach.....	Hamilton A, Stoney Creek	481 Corinthian.....	York, Newmarket
473 Beaches (The).....	Toronto East, Toronto	513 Corinthian.....	Hamilton C, Hamilton
83 Beaver.....	Sarnia, Strathroy	125 Cornwall-Corinthian	Eastern, Ingleside
234 Beaver.....	Georgian North, Thornbury	454 Corona	Nipissing Muskoka, Burks Falls
11 Belleville-Moira.....	Prince Ed, Belleville	520 Coronati.....	Toronto East, Whitby
190 Belmont	London East, Nilestown	466 Coronation	Georgian North, Elmvale
225 Bernard	North Huron, Listowel	502 Coronation	Niagara A, Smithville
699 Bethel	Sud-Manitoulin, Sudbury	574 Craig.....	South Huron, Ailsa Craig
612 Birch Cliff.....	Toronto East, East Toronto	219 Credit.....	Wellington, Georgetown
311 Blackwood.....	York, Maple	52 Dalhousie.....	Ottawa 2, Ottawa
314 Blair.....	North Huron, Palmerston	706 David T. Campbell.....	Ontario, Whitby
108 Blenheim	Wilson North, Innerkip	590 Defenders.....	Ottawa 2, Ottawa
554 Border Cities	Windsor, Windsor	634 Delta	York, Aurora
45 Brant	Brant, Brantford	624 Dereham	Wilson S, Mount Elgin
663 Brant.....	Hamilton A, Burlington	615 Dominion.....	Niagara B, Fort Erie
713 Bridgewood	Tor H Valley, Etobicoke	58 Doric.....	Ottawa 1, Ottawa
170 Britannia	South Huron, Seaforth	289 Doric.....	London West, Lobo
354 Brock	Victoria, Cannington	316 Doric.....	Toronto Don Valley, Thornhill
745 Brock Daylight	Niag A, St Catharines	424 Doric.....	Toronto East, Ajax
269 Brougham Union ...	Toronto East, Claremont	455 Doric.....	Sud-Man, Little Current
341 Bruce	North Huron, Tiverton	623 Doric.....	Temiskaming, Kirkland Lake
550 Buchanan	Hamilton C, Hamilton	569 Doric Corinthian.....	Wilson North, Lakeside
177 Builders (The).....	Ottawa 2, Ottawa	291 Dufferin	Hamilton C, W. Flamboro
106 Burford	Brant, Burford	338 Dufferin	Niagara A, Wellandport

No and Name	District and Location	No and Name	District and Location
364	Dufferin St Thomas, Melbourne	435	Havelock..... Peterborough, Havelock
570	Dufferin Tor Don Valley, Thornhill	450	Hawkesbury..... Eastern, Maxville
449	Dundalk Grey, Dundalk	517	Hazeldean Ottawa 1, Kanata
475	Dundurn..... Hamilton A, Hamilton	730	Heritage Research Lodge, Cambridge
66	Durham..... Ontario, Newcastle	336	Highgate Chatham, Highgate
306	Durham..... Grey, Durham	531	High Park Melita .. Tor Don Valley, Thornhill
442	Dymont..... Algoma East, Thessalon	594	Hillcrest Hamilton B, Hamilton
736	Edinburgh Ottawa 1, Ottawa	319	Hiram..... Brant, Hagersville
495	Electric..... Hamilton C, Hamilton	490	Hiram..... Grey, Markdale
507	Elk Lake Nipissing East, Elk Lake	336	Hiram..... Chatham, Highgate
698	Elliot Lake Algoma East, Elliot Lake	114	Hope Ontario, Port Hope
534	Englehart Temiskaming, Englehart	636	Hornepayne..... Algoma, Hornepayne
185	Enniskillen..... Hamilton B, Binbrook	602	Hugh Murray Hamilton C, Hamilton
659	Equity Georgian North, Orillia	568	Hullett..... North Huron, Londesboro
149	Erie Wilson South, Port Dover	305	Humber..... Tor Humber Valley, Weston
527	Espanola Sud-Manitoulin, Espanola	392	Huron..... Sarnia, Camlachie
209	Evergreen..... St Lawrence, Lanark	611	Huron-Bruce..... Tor Don Valley, Toronto
592	Fairbank..... Toronto Don Valley, Toronto	348	Hurononia..... Georgian North, Midland
77	Faithful Brethren..... Victoria, Lindsay	740	Ibrox Toronto West, Brampton
428	Fidelity..... Ontario, Port Perry	543	Imperial East Gate Tor East, Toronto
650	Fidelity..... St Lawrence, Toledo	737	Innisfil Georgian South, Stroud
689	Flower City Toronto West, Brampton	25	Ionic..... Toronto Don Valley, Toronto
331	Fordwich..... North Huron, Fordwich	229	Ionic..... Toronto West, Brampton
162	Forest..... North Huron, Wroxeter	328	Ionic..... Sarnia, Napier
393	Forest..... Bruce, Paisley	461	Ionic..... Western, Rainy River
415	Fort William Algoma, Thunder Bay	526	Ionic..... Ottawa 2, Ottawa
143	Friendly Brothers' Eastern, Iroquois	549	Ionic..... Hamilton C, Hamilton
691	Friendship Sud-Manitoulin, Sudbury	716	Ionic..... London East, London
729	Friendship Toronto East, Whitby	115	Ivy Niagara A, Beamsville
621	Frontenac Frontenac, Sharbot Lake	31	Jerusalem..... Ontario, Bowmanville
548	General Mercer Toronto West, Toronto	685	Joseph A. Hearn..... Tor West, Mississauga
343	Georgina Tor Humber Valley, Toronto	145	J B Hall..... Peterborough, Millbrook
418	Glengarry Highland Eastern, Maxville	584	Kaministiquia Algoma, Thunder Bay
628	Glenrose..... Waterloo, Elmira	492	Karnak Georgian North, Orillia
528	Golden Beaver Temiskaming, Timmins	374	Keene..... Peterborough, Keene
126	Golden Rule Hastings .. Peterb, Campbellford	417	Keewatin..... Western, Keewatin
409	Golden Rule..... Nip Muskoka, Gravenhurst	673	Kempfenfeldt Georgian South, Barrie
484	Golden Star Western, Dryden	274	Kent Chatham, Blenheim
159	Goodwood Ottawa 1, Richmond	230	Kerr Georgian South, Barrie
472	Gore Bay..... Sud-Manitoulin, Gore Bay	412	Keystone..... Algoma East, S S Marie
608	Gothic Victoria, Lindsay	64	Kilwinning..... London East, London
151	Grand River Waterloo, Waterloo	565	Kilwinning..... Toronto West, Toronto
446	Granite..... Western, Fort Frances	464	King Edward..... Victoria, Sunderland
697	Grantham Niagara A, St Catharines	471	King Edward VII Niag B, Niag Falls
483	Granton..... South Huron, Granton	498	King George V..... Victoria, Cobocok
47	Great Western Windsor, Windsor	37	King Hiram..... Wilson N, Ingersoll
629	Grenville..... Toronto Don Valley, Thornhill	78	King Hiram..... Wilson S, Tillsonburg
258	Guelph Wellington, Guelph	566	King Hiram..... Toronto West, Toronto
327	Hammond Chatham, Wardsville	329	King Solomon..... Brant, Jarvis
432	Hanover Bruce, Hanover	22	King Solomon's York, Richmond Hill
581	Harcourt..... Toronto Don Valley, Toronto	43	King Solomon's Wilson N, Woodstock
477	Harding..... Victoria, Woodville	378	King Solomon's London W, London
57	Harmony Hamilton B, Binbrook	655	Kingsway..... Tor H Valley, Etobicoke
370	Harmony St Lawrence, Elgin	676	Kroy..... Toronto Don Valley, Thornhill
388	Harmony London West, London	215	Lake..... Prince Edward, Ameliasburg
579	Harmony Windsor, Windsor	445	Lake of the Woods..... Western, Kenora
216	Harris..... Grey, Orangeville	645	Lake Shore..... Toronto West, Toronto
262	Harriston..... Bruce, Harriston	207	Lancaster Eastern, Lancaster
696	H. L. Martyn Tor Don Valley, Toronto	387	Lansdowne..... St Lawrence, Lansdowne
262	Harriston..... Bruce, Harriston	207	Lancaster Eastern, Lancaster
696	H. L. Martyn Tor Don Valley, Toronto	387	Lansdowne..... St Lawrence, Lansdowne
625	Hatherly Algoma East, S S Marie	290	Leamington..... Erie, Leamington
238	Havelock..... Sarnia, Watford	139	Lebanon..... Ontario, Oshawa

No and Name	District and Location	No and Name	District and Location
133 Lebanon Forest	South Huron, Exeter	588 National	Sud-Manitoulin, Capreol
201 Leeds	Frontenac, Gananoque	205 New Dominion	Waterloo, Baden
397 Leopold.....	Sarnia, Brigden	744 New Light.....	Waterloo, Cambridge
419 Liberty	Sarnia, Sarnia	2 Niagara	Niag A, Niag-on-Lake
544 Lincoln.....	Hamilton B, Abingdon	427 Nickel	Sud-Manitoulin, Sudbury
702 Lodge of Fellowship	York, Rich Hill	345 Nilestown.....	London East, Nilestown
231 Lodge of Fidelity	Ottawa 1, Ottawa	420 Nipissing.....	Nipissing East, North Bay
735 London Daylight	London E, London	444 Nitetis	Georgian South, Creemore
632 Long Branch	Toronto West, Etobicoke	10 Norfolk	Wilson South, Simcoe
282 Lorne	Chatham, Glencoe	617 North Bay	Nipissing East, North Bay
375 Lorne	Victoria, Omemee	320 North Dundas.....	Eastern, Winchester
377 Lorne	Grey, Shelburne	463 North Entrance.....	Victoria, Haliburton
622 Lorne	Algoma East, Chapleau	322 North Star	Grey, Owen Sound
256 Lost Villages.....	Eastern, Ingleside	93 Northern Light	N Huron, Kincardine
741 Luxor Daylight.....	Ottawa 2, Ottawa	266 Northern Light	Georgian N, Stayner
416 Lyn	St Lawrence, Lyn	223 Norwood.....	Peterborough, Norwood
505 Lynden.....	Brant, Lynden	261 Oak Branch.....	Wilson N, Innerkip
169 Macnab	Niagara B, Pt Colborne	708 Oakridge	London West, London
242 Macoy	St Lawrence, Lyn	400 Oakville	Hamilton A, Oakville
196 Madawaska	Ottawa 2, Arnprior	519 Onondaga.....	Brant, Onondaga
48 Madoc/Marmora/Tweed	Pr Ed, Madoc	26 Ontario.....	Ontario, Port Hope
33 Maitland.....	South Huron, Goderich	339 Orient.....	Tor Humber Valley, Toronto
140 Malahide.....	St Thomas, Aylmer	181 Oriental.....	Wilson South, Vienna
512 Malone.....	York, Sutton West	192 Orillia	Georgian North, Orillia
90 Manito	Georgian N, Collingwood	325 Orono.....	Ontario, Orono
236 Manitoba.....	Georgian S, Cookstown	504 Otter.....	St Lawrence, Lombardy
631 Manitou	Western, Emo	76 Oxford	Wilson North, Woodstock
54 Maple.....	York, Maple	508 Ozias	Brant, Burford
103 Maple Leaf.....	Niag A, St Catharines	372 Palmer.....	Niagara B, Fort Erie
119 Maple Leaf.....	Frontenac, Bath	695 Parkwood	Ontario, Oshawa
362 Maple Leaf.....	Bruce, Tara	267 Parthenon.....	Chatham, Chatham
600 Maple Leaf.....	Tor H Valley, Etobicoke	395 Parvaim-Central.....	Erie, Essex
87 Markham Union.....	Toronto East, Claremont	265 Patterson Grey	Tor Don Valley, Thornhill
596 Martintown	Eastern, Lancaster	468 Peel.....	Toronto West, Caledon East
405 Mattawa	Nipissing Muskoka, North Bay	627 Pelee	Erie, Pelee Island
347 Mercer	Wellington, Fergus	128 Pembroke.....	Ottawa 2, Pembroke
678 Mercer Wilson	Wilson N, Woodstock	487 Penewobikong	Algoma E, Blind River
687 Meridian	Hamilton C, Ancaster	414 Pequonga	Western, Kenora
55 Merrickville	St Law, Burritt's Rapids	161 Percy	Peterborough, Warkworth
344 Merrill.....	London East, Nilestown	510 Perfect Column	Tor H. Valley, Etobicoke
168 Merritt.....	Niagara B, Welland	616 Perfection.....	Niag A, St Catharines
379 Middlesex	London East, London	155 Peterborough.....	Peterborough, Peterb
369 Mimico	Tor Humber Valley, Etobicoke	194 Petrolia-Washington	Sarnia, Petrolia
576 Mimosa.....	Toronto East, Toronto	535 Phoenix.....	Niagara B, Fonthill
304 Minerva	Georgian South, Stroud	186 Plantagenet	Eastern, Riceville
524 Mississauga.....	Toronto West, Mississauga	312 Pnyx Baldoon	Chatham, Wallaceburg
147 Mississippi.....	Ottawa 1, Almonte	506 Porcupine.....	Temiskaming, Timmins
399 Moffat.....	London East, London	499 Port Arthur.....	Algoma, Thunder Bay
294 Moore	Sarnia, Sarnia	429 Port Elgin.....	Bruce, Port Elgin
431 Moravian	Bruce, Cargill	443 Powassan	Nipissing Muskoka, Powassan
309 Morning Star-Clinton....	South Huron, Carlow	297 Preston.....	Waterloo, Cambridge
559 Mosaic	Toronto Don Valley, Thornhill	333 Prince Arthur	Grey, Flesherton
221 Mountain	Niagara A, St Catharines	334 Prince Arthur	Grey, Arthur
300 Mt Olivet	London East, Thorndale	18 Prince Edward	Prince Ed, Picton
522 Mt Sinai-Pillars.....	Tor Don Valley, Thornhill	146 Prince of Wales.....	Frontenac, Napanee
28 Mt Zion.....	St Lawrence, Kemptville	171 Prince of Wales.....	St Thomas, Iona Sta
39 Mt Zion.....	Ontario, Brooklin	371 Prince of Wales.....	Ottawa 1, Ottawa
408 Murray.....	Victoria, Beaverton	630 Prince of Wales.....	Toronto West, Toronto
360 Muskoka	Nipissing Muskoka, Bracebridge	137 Pythagoras	Grey, Meaford
337 Myrtle	Niagara B, Port Robinson	578 Queen's	Frontenac, Kingston
279 Mystic Tie.....	Waterloo, Cambridge	69 Quinte	Prince Edward, Stirling
413 Naphtali	Erie, Tilbury	620 Quinte St Alban's..	Tor Don Valley, Thornhill
556 Nation	St Lawrence, Spencerville	515 Reba.....	Brant, Paris

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65	Rehoboam..... Tor Humber Valley, Etobicoke	558	S A Luke.....Ottawa 1, Ottawa
586	RemembranceTor Don Valley, Thornhill	79	Simcoe.....York, Bradford
122	Renfrew Ottawa 2, Renfrew	644	Simcoe.....Tor Humber Valley, Toronto
136	Richardson..... York, Stouffville	157	Simpson.....Frontenac, Newboro
23	Richmond York, Richmond Hill	518	Sioux Lookout Western, Sioux Lookout
253	Rideau Minden Frontenac, Kingston	451	Somerville Victoria, Kinmount
85	Rising Sun St Lawrence, Athens	674	South Gate Toronto West, Mississauga
129	Rising Sun York, Aurora	180	Speed..... Wellington, Guelph
356	River Park..... Toronto West, Mississauga	385	Spry Georgian South, Beeton
494	Riverdale J.R. Robertson ... Tor East, Toronto	406	Spry Victoria, Fenelon Falls
292	Robertson York, Aurora	164	Star-in-the-East.....Pr Edward, Picton
500	Rose..... Windsor, Windsor	422	Star of the East.....Chatham, Bothwell
646	Rowland.....York, Mt Albert	332	Stratford..... South Huron, Stratford
523	Royal Arthur..... Peterborough, Peterb	27	Strict Observance..... Ham B, Stoney Cr
742	Royal City Daylight ... Wellington, Guelph	423	Strong .....Nipissing Muskoka, Sundridge
92	Royal Ed. of Cataraqi... Frontenac, Kingston	447	Sturgeon Falls.. Nip Muskoka, Sturgeon Falls
619	Runnymede..... Toronto West, Toronto	658	Sudbury Sud-Manitoulin, Sudbury
479	Russell Ottawa 1, Russell	664	Sunnylea Tor Humber Valley, Etobicoke
200	St Alban's..... Grey, Mount Forest	672	Superior Algoma, Red Rock
16	St Andrew's...(St. Johns).... Tor D V, Toronto	5	Sussex..... St Lawrence, Brockville
62	St Andrew's.....Hamilton B, Caledonia	609	Tavistock Wilson North, Tavistock
497	St Andrew's.....Frontenac, Madoc	144	Tecumseh..... South Huron, Stratford
560	St Andrew's.....Ottawa 1, Ottawa	245	Tecumseh Sydenham Chat, Thamesville
593	St Andrew's.....Hamilton B, Hamilton	296	Temple.....Niagara A, St Catharines
642	St Andrew's..... Windsor, Windsor	324	Temple.....Hamilton C, Hamilton
661	St Andrew's.....Niag A, St Catharines	597	Temple..... London East, London
135	St Clair.....Hamilton A, Milton	649	Temple.....Ontario, Oshawa
425	St Clair..... Sarnia, Sombra	665	Temple.....Ottawa 1, Ottawa
302	St David's..... St Thomas, St Thomas	746	Templum Fidelis Frontenac, Bath
24	St Francis..... St Lawrence, Smiths Falls	662	Terrace Bay Algoma, Terrace Bay
243	St George.....Brant, St. George	34	Thistle..... Erie, Amherstburg
367	St George..... Toronto Don Valley, Toronto	250	Thistle.....Wilson North, Innerkip
15	St George's.....Niag A, St Catharines	104	Three Great Lights..... Wilson South, Delhi
41	St George's..... Erie, Kingsville	467	Tottenham.....Georgian S, Tottenham
42	St George's.....London West, London	712	Trafalgar Hamilton A, Oakville
88	St George's..... Grey, Owen Sound	38	Trent Prince Edward, Frankford
73	St James..... South Huron, St Marys	575	Trillium.....Tor Humber Valley, Toronto
74	St James..... St Lawrence, Brockville	724	Trillium..... Wellington, Guelph
17	St John's..... Ontario, Cobourg	521	Trinity..... Windsor, Windsor
20	St John's..... London East, London	98	True Blue..... York, Bolton
21a	St John's..... Eastern, Vankleek Hill	14	True Britons' St Lawrence, Perth
35	St John's..... Brant, Cayuga	141	Tudor..... South Huron, Mitchell
40	St John's.....Hamilton A, Hamilton	99	Tuscan York, Newmarket
63	St John's..... Ottawa 1, Carleton Place	195	Tuscan London West, London
68	St John's..... Wilson North, Ingersoll	551	Tuscan Hamilton A, Hamilton
81	St John's..... London West, Mt Brydges	509	Twin City..... Waterloo, Waterloo
82	St John's.....Brant, Paris	718	Twin Lakes Georgian North, Orillia
209a	St John's.....London West, London	203	Two Rivers Wellington, Fergus
131	St Lawrence Bruce, Saugeen Shores	537	Ulster..... Tor Humber Valley, Toronto
94	St Mark's..... St Thomas, St. Thomas	7	Union..... Hamilton B, Grimsby
105	St Mark's..... Niag B, Niagara Falls	9	Union..... Frontenac, Napanee
107	St Paul's London West, Lambeth	118	Union..... York, Schomberg
44	St Thomas Talbot..... St Thomas, St Thomas	380	Union..... London East, London
368	Salem..... St Lawrence, Brockville	29	United Prince Edward, Brighton
197	Saugeen Bruce, Walkerton	376	Unity..... Musk-Parry So, Huntsville
653	Scarboro..... Toronto East, Toronto	606	Unity..... Tor Humber Valley, Etobicoke
193	Scotland Brant, Oakland	710	Unity..... Toronto West, Brampton
421	Scott..... Grey, Grand Valley	705	Universe Toronto East, Toronto
285	Seven Star..... Georgian South, Alliston	496	University Toronto West, Toronto
272	Seymour.....Hamilton C, Ancaster	100	Valley Hamilton C, Dundas
277	Seymour.....Niagara A, St Catharines	268	Verulam..... Victoria, Bobcaygeon
97	Sharon..... York, Queensville	56	Victoria..... Sarnia, Sarnia
287	Shuniah..... Algoma, Thunder Bay	299	Victoria..... Frontenac, Napanee

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398 Victoria.....	Victoria, Kirkfield	734 West Gate	Toronto West, Streetsville
474 Victoria.....	Toronto West, Toronto	670 West Hill.....	Toronto East, Toronto
547 Victory.....	Tor Humber Valley, Toronto	671 Westmount.....	Hamilton C, Hamilton
237 Vienna	Wilson South, Vienna	683 Wexford.....	Toronto East, Whitby
321 Walker-Friendship ..	Wellington, Georgetown	675 Wm Jas Dunlop	Peterborough, Peterb
555 Wardrobe.....	Hamilton C, Hamilton	318 Wilmot.....	Waterloo, Baden
120 Warren.....	St Thomas, Fingal	113 Wilson	Brant, Waterford
357 Waterdown	Hamilton A, Millgrove	403 Windsor	Windsor, Windsor
539 Waterloo	Waterloo, Waterloo	286 Wingham	North Huron, Wingham
361 Waverley	Wellington, Guelph	680 Woodland	Algoma East, Wawa
46 Wellington-Victory	Chatham, Chatham	688 Wyndham	Wellington, Guelph
271 Wellington	Wellington, Erin	448 Xenophon	Erie, Wheatley
635 Wellington	York, Maple	156 York.....	Tor Don Valley, Toronto
725 Wellington Square	Ham A, Burlington	220 Zeredatha.....	York, Uxbridge
166 Wentworth	Hamilton B, Stoney Cr	410 Zeta-Shamrock.....	Tor Humber Valley, Tor
386 West Elgin	St Thomas, Rodney	86 Zetland Wilson	Tor Don Valley, Toronto

LODGES BY LOCATION

Denotes Daylight Lodge

Location	Name and No	Location	Name and No
Abingdon	Lincoln 544	Bowmanville	Jerusalem 31
Ailsa Craig	Craig 574	Bracebridge	Golden Rule 409
Ajax	Doric 424	Bracebridge	Muskoka 360
Alexandria.....	Alexandria 439	Bradford	Simcoe 79
Alliston	Seven Star 285	Brampton	Chinguacousy 738
Almonte	Mississippi 147	Brampton	Flower City 689
Ameliasburg.....	Lake 215	Brampton	Ibrox 740
Amherstburg	Thistle 34	Brampton	Ionic 229
Ancaster	Meridian 687	Brampton	Unity 710
Ancaster	Seymour 272	Brantford	Brant 45
Arkona	Arkona 307	Brigden	Leopold 397
Arnprior	Madawaska 196	Brighton	United 29
Arthur.....	Prince Arthur 334	Brockville	St. James 74
Athens	Rising Sun 85	Brockville	Salem 368
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1856	W. M. Wilson	A. Bernard	J. H. Isaacson	C. Magill	W. Bellhouse	J. Osborne	St. Geo. Caulfield	T. B. Harris	1856
1857	W. M. Wilson	J. Scott	J. E. Smith	S. Ross	W. Bellhouse	T. B. Harris	J. Tremayne	W. H. Miller	1857
1858	W. M. Wilson	T. G. Ridout	P. D. Brown	J. K. Brown	W. Bellhouse	T. B. Harris	F. J. Lundy	R. Richardson	1858
1859	W. M. Wilson	T. D. Harington	F. W. Barron	A. A. Stevenson	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	J. Scott	S. B. Harman	1859
1860	T. D. Harington	W. B. Simpson	D. Gale	T. D. Warren	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	J. A. Preston	E. Heathfield	1860
1861	T. D. Harington	W. B. Simpson	E. Heathfield	W. A. Osgood	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	D. Curtis Jr	1861
1862	T. D. Harington	W. B. Simpson	R. Spence	J. Seymour	T. Mackie	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	J. V. Noel	1862
1863	T. D. Harington	W. B. Simpson	H. Macpherson	B. C. Davy	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	J. H. Graham	1863
1864	W. B. Simpson	A. A. Stevenson	E. J. Sisson	J. Renshaw	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	C. D. Macdonnell	1864
1865	W. B. Simpson	A. A. Stevenson	A. S. Kirkpatrick	M. Crombie	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	R. Irwin	1865
1866	W. M. Wilson	A. A. Stevenson	J. Kerr	I. H. Stearns	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	F. C. Draper	1866
1867	W. M. Wilson	A. A. Stevenson	I. H. Stearns	J. Turquand	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	A. Murray	1867
1868	A. A. Stevenson	J. Seymour	J. W. Murton	S. Baker	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	D. Spry	1868
1869	A. A. Stevenson	J. Seymour	P. J. Brown	D. Thomas	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	H. Montgomery	S. B. Fairbanks	1869
1870	A. A. Stevenson	J. Seymour	T. White Jr	H. Robertson	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	V. Clementi	D. McLellan	1870
1871	J. Seymour	T. White Jr	A. McLean	R. F. Stephens	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	C. Forest	J. B. Bickell	1871
1872	W. M. Wilson	T. White Jr	J. Bain	H. Merrill	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	E. Lounsbury	C. Bennett	1872
1873	W. M. Wilson	T. White Jr	B. E. Charlton	F. Mudge	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	G. M. Innes	J. Nettleton	1873
1874	W. M. Wilson	J. K. Kerr	W. R. White	H. Murray	H. Groff	T. B. Harris	G. M. Innes	D. M. Malloch	1874
1875	J. K. Kerr	W. H. Weller	G. S. Birrell	A. J. Cambie	H. Groff	J. J. Mason	G. M. Innes	J. G. Burns	1875
1876	J. K. Kerr	W. H. Weller	H. F. Sharp	E. Allworth	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	W. R. Ross	I. Waterman	1876
1877	W. H. Weller	J. A. Henderson	G. J. Waugh	G. Stewart	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	J. G. Robb	C. H. Slawson	1877
1878	W. H. Weller	J. A. Henderson	B. Saunders	T. H. Tracy	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	C. W. Patterson	W. Lawson	1878
1879	J. A. Henderson	J. Moffat	D. McLelland	J. Walsh	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	J. Gallagher	J. Greenfield	1879
1880	J. A. Henderson	J. Moffat	J. Lovenden	H. Walker	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	W. Hay	R. L. Gunn	1880
1881	J. Moffat	D. Spry	W. Hayden	W. A. Gunn	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	E. Davis	E. H. Long	1881
1882	D. Spry	H. Murray	J. R. Robertson	W. T. Bray	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	E. Davis	W. C. Wilkinson	1882
1883	D. Spry	H. Murray	E. Plant	J. S. Dewar	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	J. T. Wright	E. T. Malone	1883
1884	H. Murray	H. Robertson	G. R. Vanzant	W. A. Green	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	G. Crystal	F. C. Martin	1884
1885	H. Murray	H. Robertson	R. L. Patterson	W. Forbes	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	H. W. Davies	J. Satchell	1885
1886	H. Robertson	R. T. Walkem	J. E. D'Avignon	W. J. Simpson	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	C. L. Worrell	G. J. Bennett	1886
1887	H. Robertson	R. T. Walkem	A. W. Porte	G. G. Rower	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	C. L. Worrell	D. Derbyshire	1887
1888	R. T. Walkem	J. R. Robertson	J. A. Wills	J. Beck	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	F. B. Stratton	H. A. McKelcan	1888
1889	R. T. Walkem	J. R. Robertson	J. McLauchlan	M. Walsh	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	D. Armstrong	F. M. Morson	1889
1890	J. R. Robertson	J. M. Gibson	J. Kinghorn	G. C. Davis	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	R. J. Craig	J. C. Boyd	1890
1891	J. R. Robertson	J. M. Gibson	J. Sutherland	L. A. Maingy	E. Mitchell	J. J. Mason	C. Pettit	C. C. Robinson	1891
1892	J. M. Gibson	W. R. White	R. W. Barker	G. Inglis	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	J. H. Fairlie	F. J. Manley	1892
1893	J. M. Gibson	W. R. White	L. Second	F. Cook	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	L. A. Betts	R. J. Craig	1893
1894	W. R. White	W. Gibson	T. Lester	A. E. Cooper	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	J. W. Hodgins	M. Gibbs	1894
1895	W. R. White	W. Gibson	B. Allen	J. B. Rankin	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	E. H. Musson	W. McKellar	1895
1896	W. Gibson	E. T. Malone	A. McGinnis	A. B. Greer	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	W. T. Wilkins	J. H. Hetherington	1896
1897	W. Gibson	E. T. Malone	S. F. Passmore	A. A. S. Ardagh	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	D. A. Bogart	W. A. Bishop	1897
1898	R. B. Hungerford	R. B. Hungerford	C. W. Postelthwaite	H. Rush	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	H. S. Matthews	L. A. Congdon	1898
1899	E. T. Malone	R. B. Hungerford	H. P. Macdonell	J. R. Stuart	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	R. Campbell	T. M. Davis	1899
1900	R. B. Hungerford	J. E. Harding	A. G. McWhinney	A. Gibson	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	J. C. Farthing	J. D. Clark	1900
1901	R. B. Hungerford	J. E. Harding	T. Clappison	A. E. Dymont	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	R. Von Pirsch	J. O'Hara	1901
1902	J. E. Harding	B. Allen	S. Buchanan	O. Elwood	H. Murray	J. J. Mason	W. L. Armitage	E. C. Davies	1902
1903	J. E. Harding	B. Allen	W. G. Eakins	R. V. Mathews	E. T. Malone	H. Murray	A. J. F. Cobb	C. F. Harris	1903
1904	B. Allen	J. H. Burritt	W. H. Harrison	J. D. H. Browne	E. T. Malone	H. Murray	H. L. Baynes Reid	L. K. Cameron	1904

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1906	J. H. Burritt	A. T. Freed	H. A. Taylor	A. K. Wanless	E. T. Malone	H. Murray	J. C. Williams	W. D. Tye	1906
1907	A. T. Freed	D. F. Macwatt	J. R. Reid	P. A. Somerville	E. T. Malone	H. Murray	C. H. Rich	R. W. Hull	1907
1908	A. T. Freed	D. F. Macwatt	E. E. Fraser	J. C. Bartram	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	F. C. Harper	D. Rutherford	1908
1909	D. F. Macwatt	A. White	T. Rowe	J. P. Rankin	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	F. E. Pitts	G. M. Gorrell	1909
1910	D. F. Macwatt	A. White	L. R. Terwilliger	R. H. R. Kenner	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	W. de La Rosa	H. T. Smith	1910
1911	A. White	W. D. McPherson	J. A. Grobb	T. G. Davis	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	S. A. Woods	A. N. Pettit	1911
1912	A. White	W. D. McPherson	W. N. Shaver	R. Miller	E. T. Malonc	R. L. Gunn	W. M. Kannawin	J. Dixon	1912
1913	W. D. McPherson	S. A. Luke	H. W. Wilson	J. Boyd	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	D. Stewart	O. Carss	1913
1914	W. D. McPherson	S. A. Luke	S. D. Warren	J. Tanner	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	G. A. Woodside	R. J. Gibson	1914
1915	S. A. Luke	W. H. Wardropc	G. Moore	R. W. Clewlo	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	W. H. Snelgrove	T. Marshall	1915
1916	S. A. Luke	W. H. Wardrope	W. H. Line	J. G. Cane	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	W. H. Snelgrove	J. W. Hickson	1916
1917	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	W. O. Adams	G. W. Fluker	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. D. Byrnes	D. Parsell	1917
1918	W. H. Wardrope	F. W. Harcourt	F. M. Ailworth	W. H. Abbott	E. T. Malone	R. L. Gunn	J. W. J. Andrew	B. Cairns	1918
1919	F. W. Harcourt	W. N. Ponton	T. Barber	M. Wilbie	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	G. H. Purchase	G. McLeish	1919
1920	F. W. Harcourt	W. N. Ponton	H. McKenzie	W. R. Madil	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	C. Piercy	R. W. Allen	1920
1921	W. N. Ponton	W. J. Drope	D. A. Esdale	W. P. McMaster	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	A. J. Bruce	J. A. Orr	1921
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1923	W. J. Drope	J. A. Rowland	H. G. French	W. F. Montague	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	R. C. Blagrove	E. Smith	1923
1924	W. J. Drope	J. A. Rowland	A. J. Murray	N. P. Walsh	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	J. H. Kidd	R. L. Shriner	1924
1925	J. A. Rowland	J. S. Martin	W. Ostler	J. W. Wansbrough	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	R. J. M. Perkins	J. T. May	1925
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1930	R. B. Dargavel	W. S. Herrington	T. K. Wade	J. A. Robinson	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	G. W. Tebbs	J. A. Sharp	1930
1931	W. S. Herrington	F. A. Copus	V. Williamson	H. L. Freeston	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	C. R. Spencer	H. Johnson	1931
1932	W. S. Herrington	F. A. Copus	W. H. Gimblet	S. A. Marshall	E. T. Malone	W. M. Logan	J. Lyons	C. D. Sucee	1932
1933	F. A. Copus	A. J. Anderson	A. E. Coombs	B. B. Hodge	J. A. Rowland	W. M. Logan	S. E. Lambert	W. O. Matthews	1933
1934	F. A. Copus	A. J. Anderson	W. A. Drummond	B. B. Hodge	J. A. Rowland	W. M. Logan	J. Morris	W. J. S. Graham	1934
1935	A. J. Anderson	W. J. Dunlop	S. Vila	G. E. French	J. A. Rowland	W. M. Logan	W. M. Lee	S. Young	1935
1936	A. J. Anderson	W. J. Dunlop	G. S. Guthrie	S. J. Martin	J. A. Rowland	W. M. Logan	R. C. McDermid	J. C. Ross	1936
1937	W. J. Dunlop	J. A. Dobbie	W. E. Gowing	J. A. Hearn	J. A. Rowland	E. G. Dixon	W. C. White	F. E. Sillifant	1937
1938	W. J. Dunlop	J. A. Dobbie	W. T. Overend	J. A. M. Hay	J. A. Rowland	E. G. Dixon	S. L. W. Harton	J. A. Foucar	1938
1939	J. A. Dobbie	J. A. McRae	F. H. England	B. C. Beasley	J. A. Rowland	E. G. Dixon	Thos Eakin	H. R. Boal	1939
1940	J. A. Dobbie	J. A. McRae	M. J. Kinnee	G. J. Hinton	J. A. Rowland	E. G. Dixon	G. F. Kingston	G. S. Warren	1940
1941	J. A. McRae	T. C. Wardley	W. H. C. McEachern	A. R. Graham	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	T. N. Lowe	G. A. Martin	1941
1942	J. A. McRae	T. C. Wardley	J. Rosie	D. F. Gibson	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	W. E. Kidd	J. Briggs	1942
1943	T. C. Wardley	C. S. Hamilton	*W. Y. Mills	E. A. Miller	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	J. E. Reid	G. W. Deegan	1943
			A. L. Bennett						
1944	T. C. Wardley	C. S. Hamilton	A. E. MacGregor	L. K. Redman	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	E. A. Thomson	C. A. Bailey	1944
1945	C. S. Hamilton	T. H. Simpson	G. F. Kingsmill	A. M. Rollo	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	W. J. Johnston	C. B. Wilson	1945
1946	C. S. Hamilton	T. H. Simpson	J. H. Mitchell	G. F. Clark	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	D. H. MacLennan	R. E. Mills	1946
1947	T. H. Simpson	J. P. Maher	C. J. Heinrich	F. A. R. McNair	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	W. L. Wright	A. E. Selwey	1947
1948	T. H. Simpson	J. P. Maher	F. G. Chandler	B. E. Easton	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	Jas Semple	H. J. Burnett	1948
1949	J. P. Maher	N. C. Hart	W. D. Connor	J. G. Dodd	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	C. E. Kenny	*C. W. Powers	1949
1950	J. P. Maher	N. C. Hart	L. A. Simpson	B. A. Wilson	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	G. S. Scovell	A. D. Read	1950
1951	N. C. Hart	J. A. Hearn	E. N. Gregory	R. W. Richards	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	Morrison Sellar	H. B. Coxon	1951
1952	N. C. Hart	J. A. Hearn	J. W. McKnight	J. F. Heap	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	C. D. Donald	F. E. Mason	1952
1953	J. A. Hearn	W. L. Wright	R. M. Gunsolus	G. F. Guy	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	H. B. Neal	G. V. Tario	1953
1954	J. A. Hearn	W. L. Wright	M. C. Cain	Hugh Tait	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	H. G. Cleghorn	J. Johnstone	1954
1955	W. L. Wright	H. L. Martyn	J. A. Irvine	D. M. Fleming	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	J. M. Brownlie	C. J. Bailey	1955

Date of Election	Grand Master	Deputy Grand Master	Grand Senior Warden	Grand Junior Warden	Grand Treasurer	Grand Secretary	Grand Chaplain	Grand Registrar	Date of Election
1956	W. L. Wright	H. L. Martyn	W. Smith	*A. E. Langman L. R. Chester	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	G. M. Guest	H. R. Wellington	1956
1957	H. L. Martyn	C. M. Pitts	J. B. Ryan	J. N. Salter	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	E. A. McCullagh	O. E. Keene	1957
1958	H. L. Martyn	C. M. Pitts	E. L. James	J. B. Sainsbury	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	R. S. Skinner	R. C. Woodley	1958
1959	C. M. Pitts	R. W. Treleven	J. J. Talman	T. H. Hamilton	W. J. Dunlop	E. G. Dixon	M. G. R. Williams	E. J. McKeever	1959
1960	C. M. Pitts	R. W. Treleven	H. E. Wilson	J. R. Grant	J. A. Hearn	E. G. Dixon	R. G. Hazlewood	D. H. Townsend	1960
1961	R. W. Treleven	J. A. Irvine	G. C. Bennett	W. M. Prentice	J. A. Hearn	E. G. Dixon	A. J. Anderson	F. L. Barrett	1961
1962	R. W. Treleven	J. A. Irvine	A. P. Johnston	T. L. Wilson	J. A. Hearn	E. G. Dixon	J. B. Creeggan	H. O. Polk	1962
1963	J. A. Irvine	J. N. Allan	L. J. Crooks	J. R. Dargavel	J. A. Hearn	E. G. Dixon	H. J. Snell	C. J. R. Ballantyne	1963
1964	J. A. Irvine	J. N. Allan	M. J. Damp	G. H. Gilmer	J. A. Hearn	E. G. Dixon	A. K. Campbell	W. Mogk	1964
1965	J. N. Allan	D. J. Gunn	W. D. Stevens	J. A. McCleave	J. A. Hearn	E. G. Dixon	S. E. Stevenson	G. K. Johnson	1965
1966	J. N. Allan	D. J. Gunn	F. H. G. Verral	T. C. Boon	J. A. Hearn	E. G. Dixon	E. E. Baskier	J. M. Burnett	1966
1967	D. J. Gunn	B. B. Foster	J. M. Ritchie	C. D. MacKenzie	J. A. Hearn	E. G. Dixon	G. F. Smith	W. H. Cheetham	1967
1968	D. J. Gunn	B. B. Foster	Herbert Murphy	G. B. Rickard	M. C. Hooper	E. G. Dixon	A. J. McLaughlin	J. A. Foster	1968
1969	B. B. Foster	W. K. Bailey	G. I. Davies	R. L. Burns	M. C. Hooper	E. G. Dixon	M. S. Jess	E. H. Guthrie	1969
1970	B. B. Foster	W. K. Bailey	James Speirs	K. L. Luther	M. C. Hooper	E. G. Dixon	J. E. G. Houghton	G. R. Bruce	1970
1971	W. K. Bailey	G. E. Turner	D. J. Miller	P. de Karwin	M. C. Hooper	J. A. Irvine	T. R. Davies	C. J. Miller	1971
1972	W. K. Bailey	G. E. Turner	L. J. Scrutton	S. Ratford	M. C. Hooper	J. A. Irvine	H. G. Lowry	R. E. Rowland	1972
1973	G. E. Turner	E. W. Nancekivell	R. S. Throop	M. J. Bradley	M. C. Hooper	J. A. Irvine	R. de Corneille	F. N. Rupert	1973
1974	G. E. Turner	E. W. Nancekivell	R. H. A. Hope	J. M. D. Hay	M. C. Hooper	J. A. Irvine	A. W. Watson	L. J. Gent	1974
1975	E. W. Nancekivell	R. E. Davies	J. H. Hutchinson	C. J. Baxter	M. C. Hooper	J. A. Irvine	Wm Fairley	Jack Sutton	1975
1976	E. W. Nancekivell	R. E. Davies	R. E. Groshaw	J. A. T. Behan	*M. C. Hooper	J. A. Irvine	G. C. C. Scovil	M. B. Dymond	1976
1977	R. E. Davies	N. R. Richards	W. A. Isbister	W. S. McNeil	*M. C. Hooper	J. A. Irvine	Eric Sisel	Aage Bjerknes	1977
1978	R. E. Davies	N. R. Richards	J. A. MacCallum	R. A. Hoddy	J. N. Allan	J. A. Irvine	A. H. Johnston	E. W. Matches	1978
1979	N. R. Richards	H. O. Polk	A. N. Newell	N. R. Strutt	J. N. Allan	J. A. Irvine	K. F. Tudor	G. F. W. Inrig	1979
1980	N. R. Richards	H. O. Polk	C. E. B. Le Gresley	G. R. Jackson	J. N. Allan	R. E. Davies	H. C. Secker	R. Green	1980
1981	H. O. Polk	R. E. Groshaw	N. V. R. Camp	B. D. Lamont	J. N. Allan	R. E. Davies	Geo Morris	F. C. Lovering	1981
1982	H. O. Polk	R. E. Groshaw	E. A. Gould	K. G. Bartlett	J. N. Allan	R. E. Davies	G. H. Fresque	W. R. C. Bradford	1982
1983	R. E. Groshaw	A. L. Copeland	R. E. Jewell	E. G. Burton	J. N. Allan	R. E. Davies	D. A. Baxter	F. S. Foote	1983
1984	R. E. Groshaw	A. L. Copeland	R. J. Chamberlin	W. G. Speers	J. N. Allan	R. E. Davies	T. F. Wickett	P. Moffatt	1984
1985	A. L. Copeland	W. R. Pellow	B. W. Lawson	W. A. Evans	J. N. Allan	R. E. Davies	H. Lerner	D. M. Wilson	1985
1986	A. L. Copeland	W. R. Pellow	C. A. W. Ball	K. R. Brown	J. N. Allan	R. E. Davies	R. T. Flowers	E. C. Parker	1986
1987	W. R. Pellow	D. C. Bradley	J. R. Gilpin	F. G. Dunn	J. N. Allan	R. E. Davies	R. C. Davies	J. S. Hudson	1987
1988	W. R. Pellow	D. C. Bradley	*A. Grant	A. F. Pearson	A. L. Copeland	R. E. Davies	M. D. H. Farr	R. R. Porter	1988
			J. M. Boersma						
1989	D. C. Bradley	N. E. Byrne	G. E. M. Bilboe	R. D. Summerville	A. L. Copeland	R. E. Davies	S. J. Maddock	W. E. Shaw	1989
1990	D. C. Bradley	N. E. Byrne	J. W. Glass	C. M. Miller	A. L. Copeland	R. E. Davies	P. Barrow	G. L. Given	1990
1991	N. E. Byrne	C. E. Drew	C. W. Crow	G. R. Britain	A. L. Copeland	R. E. Davies	J. A. Johnston	M. MacKenzie	1991
1992	N. E. Byrne	C. E. Drew	A. L. McLelland	T. C. Warner	A. L. Copeland	R. E. Davies	D. Mitchell	J. H. Hough	1992
1993	C. E. Drew	D. I. Greenwood	A. A. Barker	A. Bell	*A. L. Copeland	R. E. Davies	J. W. Cooper	F. K. Hyatt	1993
					T. R. Davies				
1994	C. E. Drew	D. I. Greenwood	W. C. Thompson	T. S. Crowley	T. R. Davies	R. E. Davies	D. Wilkinson	P. R. Borland	1994
1995	D. I. Greenwood	W. T. Anderson	L. Harrison	K. G. Crawley	T. R. Davies	R. E. Davies	M. D. Stienburg	M. H. Tosh	1995
1996	D. I. Greenwood	W. T. Anderson	*M. G. Brellisford	D. H. Clouse	T. R. Davies	R. E. Davies	J. C. Davison	G. A. Monk	1996
			I. D. Nichols						
1997	W. T. Anderson	R. J. McKibbin	R. Walsh	B. J. Gyton	T. R. Davies	R. E. Davies	M. F. Wellwood	V. V. Cormack	1997
1998	W. T. Anderson	R. J. McKibbin	L. J. Pengelly	D. J. Ward	T. R. Davies	R. E. Davies	V. Poelzer	Z. M. Loos	1998
1999	R. J. McKibbin	T. Shand	P. F. Irwin	W. N. Bain	T. R. Davies	R. E. Davies	J. H. Seeley	D. A. Fickling	1999
2000	R. J. McKibbin	T. Shand	E. R. Harrison	R. S. J. Daniels	T. R. Davies	R. E. Davies	W. Gundrum	D. R. Woodhouse	2000
2001	T. Shand	D. H. Mumby	R. T. Stinson	M. A. Dow	T. R. Davies	R. E. Davies	P. D. Kett	M. J. Diamond	2001
2002	T. Shand	D. H. Mumby	R. C. James	P. J. McGrenere	T. R. Davies	R. J. McKibbin	J. G. Roberts	J. D. Bell	2002

Date of Elec- tion	Grand Master	Deputy Grand Master	Grand Senior Warden	Grand Junior Warden	Grand Treasurer	Grand Secretary	Grand Chaplain	Grand Registrar	Date of Elec- tion
2003	D. H. Mumby	G. L. Atkinson	D. A. West	F. J. Collins	T. R. Davies	*R. J. McKibbon T. Shand	M. J. Moor	H. Mohamdee	2003
2004	D. H. Mumby	G. L. Atkinson	A. Pendleton	R. F. Hewitt	T. R. Davies	T. Shand	H. A. Wilson	D. L. Green	2004
2005	G. L. Atkinson	A. J. Petrisor	T. J. Forbes	G. A. Cousins	T. R. Davies	T. Shand	H. A. Kernohan	T. R. Harland	2005
2006	G. L. Atkinson	A. J. Petrisor	W. G. McKee	D. J. McNair	T. R. Davies	T. Shand	P. D. Tink	A. H. Hackett	2006
2007	A. J. Petrisor	R. S. J. Daniels	R. H. Bivens	W. D. Armstrong	T. R. Davies	T. Shand	G. J. Simmons	E. Goldthorp	2007
2008	A. J. Petrisor	R. S. J. Daniels	E. R. Morrison	D. R. Mackey	T. R. Davies	T. Shand	D. P. Hardie	B. R. S. Manson	2008
2009	R. S. J. Daniels	D. Garry Dowling	N. Mathie	Robin C. G. Ward	T. R. Davies	T. Shand	W. M. White	P. J. Gillespie	2009
2010	R. S. J. Daniels	D. Garry Dowling	J. P. Logan	S. E. Warren	T. W. Hogeboom	T. Shand	R. Smeaton	P.M.J. McConnell	2010
2011	D. Garry Dowling	D. A. Campbell	D. R. Smith	N . F. Bryant	T. W. Hogeboom	T. Shand	J. Hawkins	E. De Beaupre	2011
2012	D. Garry Dowling	D. A. Campbell	R. D Stillwell	R. F. Janes	T. W. Hogeboom	T. Shand	G. R. Maitland	J. Harrison	2012
2013	D. A. Campbell	J. C. Green	D. A. Graham	W. J. Drane	T. W. Hogeboom	T. Shand	B. J. M. Carrique	J. C. Lacourse	2013
2014	D. A. Campbell	J. C. Green	T. Van Horne	R. H. Cadotte	T. W. Hogeboom	T. Shand	E. R. Morris	R. J. Hillier	2014
2015	J. C. Green	P. E. Todd	R. J. Ledingham	S. Wiersma	T. W. Hogeboom	T. Shand	J. Schell	K. W. Stiles	2015
2016	J. C. Green	P. E. Todd	Maheir Eid	Adriaan de Vries	T. W. Hogeboom	T. Shand	J. David Leggatt	Edward T. Evans	2016
2017	P. E. Todd	D. J. Cameron	N. Pawluch	E. Lim	T. W. Hogeboom	T. Shand	B. R. Paterson	Edward T. Evans	2017

*Died during term

HONORARY OFFICERS

*Henry T. Backus	Michigan	1857	P.G.M.
*Philip C. Tucker	Vermont	1857	P.G.M.
*Michael Furnell	Ireland	1857	P.D.D.G.M.
*W. C. Stephens	Hamilton	1858	P.G.M.
*Robert Morris	Kentucky	1858	P.D.G.M.
*T. D. Harington	Montreal	1858	P.G.M.
*Thos. G. Ridout	Toronto	1859	P.G.M.
*Aldis Bernard	Montreal	1860	P.G.M.
*Thomas Drummond	Kingston	1862	P.G.J.W.
*John H. Graham	Richmond	1864	P.G.J.W.
*Jas. V. MacKey	Ireland	1867	P.G.S.W.
*Brackstone Baker	England	1868	P.G.S.W.
*Sir John A. Macdonald	Kingston	1868	P.G.S.W.
*John V. Ellis	New Brunswick	1869	P.G.S.W.
*Rev. C. P. Bliss	New Brunswick	1871	P.G.Chap.
*Wm. H. Frazer	Wisconsin	1873	P.G.Reg.
*H. A. MacKay	Hamilton	1873	P.G.Reg.
*Thos. White Jr.	Montreal	1874	P.G.M.
*J. A. Lockwood	New York	1882	P.G.S.W.
*Otto Klotz	Preston	1885	P.G.M.
*Geo. C. Patterson	Toronto	1897	P.G.Reg.
*T. R. Barton	Toronto	1897	P.G.Reg.
*J. J. Ramsay	Toronto	1897	P.G.Reg.
*Kivas Tully	Toronto	1897	P.G.M.
*W. A. Sutherland	New York	1900	P.G.M.
*J. J. Mason	Hamilton	1900	P.G.M.
*Chief Justice Gerald Fitz-Gibbon	Ireland	1900	P.G.S.W.
*N. L. Steiner	Toronto	1900	P.G.Reg.
*Alex Patterson	Toronto	1901	P.G.Reg.
*H.R.H. Duke of Connaught	England	1902	P.G.M.
*Lord Ampthill	England	1919	P.G.M.
*Gerald Fitzgibbon, K.C.	Ireland	1920	P.G.S.W.
*Rt. Hon. Lord Desborough, K.C.V.O.	England	1920	P.G.S.W.
*Stanley Machin, J.P.	England	1920	P.G.S.W.
*Jas. H. Stirling	Ireland	1920	P.G.S.W.
*A. Cecil Powell	England	1920	P.G.J.W.
*John Dickens	England	1920	P.G.J.W.
*R. F. Richardson	Strathroy	1920	P.G.Reg.
*Sir George McLaren Brown	England	1921	P.G.Reg.
*Sir John Ferguson	England	1923	P.G.S.W.
*H. Hamilton-Wedderburn	England	1923	P.G.J.W.
*Arthur E. Carlyle	England	1923	P.G.J.W.
*Dudley H. Ferrell	Massachusetts	1923	P.G.M.
*Chas. H. Ramsay	Massachusetts	1923	P.G.S.W.
*Frank H. Hilton	Massachusetts	1923	P.G.J.W.
*A. Beitler	Pennsylvania	1923	P.G.M.
*S. W. Goodyear	Pennsylvania	1923	P.D.G.M.
*George Ross	Toronto	1925	P.G.Reg.
*Chas. B. Murray	Toronto	1925	P.G.Reg.
*Sir Alfred Robbins	England	1927	P.G.S.W.
*Earl of Stair	Scotland	1931	P.G.M.
*Lord Donoughmore	Ireland	1931	P.G.M.
*Viscount Galway	England	1931	P.G.S.W.
*Canon F. J. G. Gillmor	England	1931	P.G.Chap.
*J. Bridges Eustace	England	1931	P.G.Reg.
*Robt. J. Soddy	England	1933	P.G.S'd.
*Gen. Sir Francis Davies	England	1938	P.D.G.M.
*Canon Thomas T. Blockley	England	1938	P.G.Chap.
*Rt. Hon. Viscount de Vesci	England	1938	P.G.S.W.
*Major R. L. Loyd	England	1938	P.G.Reg.
*Raymond F. Brooke	Ireland	1938	P.D.G.M.
*Rt. Hon. Lord Farnham	Ireland	1938	P.G.S.W.
*Dr. W. E. Thrift	Ireland	1938	P.G.J.W.
*Gen Sir. Norman A. Orr-Ewing	Scotland	1938	P.G.M.
*T. G. Winning	Scotland	1938	P.G.J.W.
*Joseph E. Perry	Massachusetts	1938	P.G.M.
*Reginald Harris	Nova Scotia	1938	P.G.M.
*Norman T. Avar	Nova Scotia	1938	P.G.M.
*Sir E. H. Cooper	England	1940	P.G.Reg.
*Field Marshal Viscount Alexander	England	1947	P.G.S.W.
*Ernest B. Thompson	Hamilton	1959	P.G.S.W.
*James W. Hamilton	Hamilton	1959	P.G.S.W.
*E. G. Dixon	Hamilton	1963	P.G.M.
*Robert Strachan	Hamilton	1963	P.G.S.W.
*Sir Edwin Leather	England	1966	P.G.Reg.
*A. C. Ashforth	Toronto	1971	P.G.S.W.
*M. C. Hooper	Toronto	1973	P.G.M.

*Eric C. Horwood	Toronto	1974	P.G.S.W.
*J. Lawrence Runnalls	St. Catharines	1975	P.G.S.W.
*James C. Guy	Ancaster	1976	P.G.S.W.
*John W. Millar	Toronto	1979	P.G.S.W.
*R. Wilson McConnell	Toronto	1981	P.G.S.W.
Hunter Reid	Riceville	1982	P.G.S.W.
*John I. Carrick	Hamilton	1983	P.G.S.W.
T. Richard Davies	Toronto	1985	P.G.S.W.
George W. Kerr	Weston	1986	P.G.S.W.
*T. John Arthur	Willowdale	1987	P.G.M.
*W. Norman Buckingham	Burlington	1989	P.G.S.W.
Samuel H. Cohen	Toronto	1989	P.G.S.W.
Raymond Hutson	London	1989	P.G.S.W.
J. M. Marcus Humphrey of Dinnet	Scotland	1990	P.D.G.M.
*Douglas H. Bliss	Stoney Creek	1990	P.G.S.W.
*Kenneth L. Schweitzer	Hamilton	1990	P.G.S.W.
James T. Cassie	Willowdale	1993	P.G.S.W.
J. Lloyd Mellor	Toronto	1995	P.G.S.W.
*Robert N. Wilson	Toronto	1995	P.G.S.W.
*Nathaniel Granstein	Paris	1996	P.D.G.M.
Alex Watson	Mount Forest	1996	P.G.S.W.
Melvyn J. Duke	Toronto	1997	P.G.S.W.
G. Wayne Nelson	Englehart	1999	P.G.S.W.
James W. Daniel	England	2001	P.G.Secy
Thomas W. Jackson	Pennsylvania	2001	P.G.Secy
John K. Baskey	London	2002	P.G.S.W.
*Donald W. Lewis	Stouffville	2002	P.G.S.W.
Frederick Halpern	Thornhill	2004	P.G.S.W.
William A. Atkinson Sr.	Amherstburg	2009	P.G.S.W.
Allan Arbuckle	Ottawa	2010	P.G.S.W.
Lew Crocker	Toronto	2010	P.G.S.W.
George Mitchell	Jordan Station	2010	P.G.S.W.
Frank Broomhead	Chapleau	2011	P.G.S.W.
Richard E. Fletcher	Maryland	2011	P.D.G.M.
W. Bruce Miller	Elmira	2011	P.G.S.W.
R. Kliaman	Concord	2012	P.G.S.W.
A. Douglas Nichols	New Hamburg	2012	P.G.S.W.
R. Keeler	London	2013	P.G.S.W.
R. Lindsay	Lindsay	2014	P.G.S.W.
S. M. Jenkyns	Kanata	2014	P.G.S.W.
P. R. A. E. Skazin	Toronto	2015	P.G.S.W.
W. L. Foster	Woodstock	2016	P.G.S.W.
M. Locke	St. Catharines	2017	P.G.S.W.

*Deceased

LIST OF GRAND LODGES

With names of Grand Secretaries and Grand Representatives

Grand Lodge	Grand Secretary	Representatives	
		Near other G.L.	Near G.L. Canada(Ont)
The United Kingdom			
Ireland	D. B. Lyons	E. J. Keeley	W. R. Pellow
Scotland	D. M. Begg	C. M. McGibbon	R. E. Groshaw
Dominion of Canada			
Alberta	W. Kostenuk	P. J. Dunlop	D. A. Campbell
British Col/Yukon	G. Moore	C. G. Wardlaw	R. A. Barnett
Manitoba	D. Webster	E. H. Jones	
New Brunswick	Graham A. Fraser	S. H. Allen	J. David Bell
Newfoundland/Lab	D. Crocker	N. M. Chaplin	T. Shand
Nova Scotia	D. G. Campbell	R. E. Eisner	
Pr. Ed Island	J. Murphy	R. A. Ellis	_____
Quebec	R. Coderre	M. A. Kershaw	
Saskatchewan	R. A. H. Brown	J. Calvert	T. Pachal
United States of America			
Alabama	T. R. Grogan, Jr.	M. L. Jones	A. Simpson
Alaska	J. P. Wasson	M. M. Routzahn	T. W. Hogeboom
Arizona	J. W. Rowan	J. L. Alexakis	A. B. Loopstra
Arkansas	R. L. Jackson	W. R. Baugus	J. C. Sutherland
California	A. L. Casalou	C. R. MacPhee	R. S. Whitmore
Colorado	S. M. Autry	C. M. Baum	
Connecticut	R. C. Memmott	A. R. Van Gasbeck	G. L. Atkinson
Delaware	H. P. Fulmer	J. S. Russell	D. Hawman
Dist of Columbia	J. D. Russell	L. L. Merryman	J. M. Wagg
Florida	R. E. Lynn	R. J. Manning	G. R. Taylor
Georgia	J. W. Watson	T. M. Taylor Sr	T. A. McLean
Hawaii	M. P. Alexander		D. R. Dainard
Idaho	M. B. Bollar	G. L. Riggs	D. A. Conway
Illinois	F. E. Cline	D. Saturno	G. R. Clauson
Indiana	R. J. Elman	J. M. Barkdull	M. J. Andersen
Iowa	C. L. Davis	_____	_____
Kansas	T. L. Bloom	R. D. Overton	I. Wates
Kentucky	D. H. Yankey	D. R. Stump	D.J. Cameron
Louisiana	W. D. Bilyeu	W. F. Fink	K. L. Whiting
Maine	D. E. Bartlett	K. L. Richardson	B. Burchill
Maryland	K. R. Taylor	R. B. Ross	
Massachusetts	A. T. Ames	J. A. Vytal	I. B. Dale
Michigan	R. P. Conley	R. W. Trussell	T. V. Horner
Minnesota	D. J. Campbell	E. J. Neetenbeek	J. T. Cassie
Mississippi	F. T. Jones	T.D. Swan	C. Woods
Missouri	J. S. Pennington	J. A. Noland Jr	
Montana	R. L. Gardiner	M. A. Bates	
Nebraska	R. S. Kuhn		R. G. Wands
Nevada	M. L. Mancha	F. E. Crowdis	E. J. B. Anderson
New Hampshire	T. S. Lowe	L. D. Gullett	D. G. Dowling
New Jersey	J. S. Ryan	F. J. Eilert	W. E. Elgie
New Mexico	D. H. Sutcliffe	_____	_____
New York	P. M. Rosen	J. E. Kuemmel	C. E. Drew
North Carolina	T. W. Clapp, III	J. R. Tillett	J. R. Hay
North Dakota	L. W. Kvasager	J. S. Ruliffson	P. E. Todd
Ohio	C. M. Watson	D. L. Dresser	A. J. Petrisor
Oklahoma	B. L. Laws	C. J. Reamy Jr	M. J. Thompson
Oregon	E. Bousquet	P. J. Stidd	P. J. Mullen
Pennsylvania	M. A. Haines	_____	_____

Grand Lodge	Grand Secretary	Representatives	
		Near other G.L.	Near G.L. Canada(Ont)
Rhode Island	C. B. Willi	G. Kaufman	D. H. Mumby
South Carolina	G. L. Carver	C. H. Frampton	K. D. Beggs
South Dakota	D. McFarland	J. W. Schwietert	R. Sutherland
Tennessee	R. C. Etherton	M. A. Stinnett	D. M. Sheen
Texas	O. L. O'Neill	M. M. Skipper	C. Reid
Utah	L. K. Fielden	D. D. Rein	M. L. Shea
Vermont	R. J. Donnelly	C. L. Marshall	R. Kliaman
Virginia	A. W. Adkins	C. B. Taylor	R. Cooper
Washington	S. Roberts	M. W. Rose	A. W. Watson
West Virginia	W. R. French	C. H. Brake	S. R. Drummond
Wisconsin	M. A. DeWolf	R. W. Ward	B. W. Lyle
Wyoming	B. St. John		
Prince Hall			
Alaska	K. B. Holmes		H. Adams
Connecticut	A. Collins, Jr.		
North Carolina	M. T. Carmon		
Ont. & Jurisdiction		R. Kelman	G. E. Hinds
Other Countries			
Africa:			
Benin	M. A. Lawson		
Burkina Faso	J. C. Nabyoure	S. Topan	J. H. Hough
Cameroun	H. Moubitang		
Gabon	J. Thardin	A. Boumah	
Ivory Coast	M. Rosier		
Malian (National)	B. Keita		
Senegal	E. H. Ndao		
South Africa	I. G. Heyneke	C. C. R. Heckmann	
Togolaise (Nat'l)	T. J. Woamede		
Andorra	J. M. Gabernet		
Argentina	P. Lazaro	H. Santangelo	K. J. Hay
Armenia	D. Akopian		
Australia:			
New South Wales	S. Green	P. S. Davies	T. R. Davies
Queensland	M. H. Gray	V. J. Wright	J. Forster
South Australia	P. J. Symons	R. L. Hancock	S. Kalinowsky
Tasmania	D. J. Macrow	M. J. Keen	G. C. Crutcher
Victoria	P. Henshall	G. J. Sebo	A. A. Barker
Western Australia	G. Nichols	T. Twaddle	J. R. Hanna
Austria	G. Ratzenberger		F. Halpern
Belgium (Reg GL)	D. Bauwens	P. Geairain	A. L. McLelland
Bolivia (G.L. of)	C. V. Gomez		
Brazil:			
Acre	M. A. M. De Oliveira		
Amapa	Ul B. Teixeira		
Amazonas	F. J. De Vasconcellos		
Bahia	D. Klay		G. A. Napper
G.L. Federal District	J. H. Da Silva	A. Porta	
Ceara	A. J. De Barros Leal Saraiva	J. L. De Vasconcelos F.	L. Bittle
Espirito Santo	J. C. C. De Faria	M. J. De Menezes	R. L. Dobbs
Goias	A. F. S. Favaro	R. B. Cruz	
Grand Orient	F. T. Colacioppo, Jr.	E. P. Rocco R. F. Manz	
Maranhao	R. V De Oliveira	F. M. Marques	N. G. McCarthy
Mato Grosso	G. A. Nogueira	J. A. C. Filho	D. E. Swann
Mato Grosso Do Sul	A. D. Freitas	P. Cury	G. H. Hazlitt
Mina Gerais	R. O. V. D. Anjos	A. DeSouza Garcia	A. A. Atkins

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Para	P. H. De Ataide Pereira	O. L. Hiltner	E. Jones
Paraiba	M. J. C. Silva	W. V. Bezerra	R. D. Summerville
Parana	F. H. Gasper	L. G. De Paiua M	J. Domonkos
Pernambuco	P. J. F. Oliveira	L. A. De Assis	
Rio de Janeiro	J. C. De Seixas	C. D. Ferreira	L. Martin
Rio Grande Do Norte	H. De Souza		
Rio Grande Do Sul	R. F. Pinto Jr.	A. G. R Dos Santos M.I.	
Rondonia	J. V. Pereira		
Santa Catarina	O. Reis		
Sao Paulo	A. Jovanovic	G. Lo Duca	A. D. Nichols
Sergipe	R. R. Ramos		
Tocantins	F. H. De Melo	M. L. L. Gomes	
Bulgaria (U.G.L.)	M. Moravenov	N. R. Tchamov	A. Stokes
Chile	I. Wortsman	E. B. HamelM. Dennis	
China (Taiwan)	N. Pin	S. Hsin	S. W. Libbey
Colombia:			
Barranquilla	A. A. A. Nader	A. S. Hamilton	
Bogota	R. A. A. Casas	H. V. Ceron	W.A. Atkinson Sr.
Cartagena	E. A. Trujillo	N. O. Rico	R. A. Morrow
Occidental, Cali	A. N. Hamann		
Costa Rica	R. Mora-Barboza	M. Yamuni	B. J. Hutton
Croatia	B. Sober	Z. Zepic	P. Farrell
Cuba	A. A. P. Manals	J. B Dominguez	
Cyprus	C. L. Agrotis		
Czech Republic	R. Smith	J. Vecer	G. Turek
Denmark	U.G. A. Rosenborg	O. S. Hjorthoj	T. P. Hansen
Dominican Republic	H. A. P. Guzmán	O. J. Soto	R. Charles
Ecuador	C. B. Grazzo	B. Plaza N	M. J. Duke
Estonia			
Finland	A. Siltanen	H. Taponen	R.C. Casselman
France (Nat'l)	C. Legrand	T. Shand	
Germany U.G.L.	M. Swania	B. Kuzkaya	Z. Loos
Greece	D. Bergounis	K. Katsigiannis	P. Atsidakos
Guatemala	C. R. S. D. Cid	J. H. Ayestas S	S. C. Dunlop
Honduras	E. O. A. Zelaya	H. Soriano A	P. J. McGrenere
Hungary	D. Meksz		J. S. Vag
Iceland	T. Oskarsson	S.G. Ringsted	J. A. J. Hughes
India	V. K. Gupta	V. Rajendran	W. E. McLeod
Iran	S. Maghame	A. Soltanzadeh	G. W. Nelson
Israel	V. Serezo	A. Baranes	S. H. Cohen
Italy (Gr Orient)	M. Pietrangeli	E. D'Ercole	
Japan	P. A. Ambrose	R. D. Targett	H. E. Standish
Latvia	A. Salnajs		
Luxembourg	M. Rousseau	P. Geisen`	T. Owens
Macedonia	N. Polenak		
Madagascar	J. Sanchis	C. A. Razafimbahiny	N. G. Stacey
Malta	S. J. Bush		
Mauritius	P. Ribot	H. N. K. King	D. Jacklin
Mexico:			
Nuevo Leon	J. V. Portillo Lopez	H. G. Cantu	D. J. Purvis
Tamaulipas	A. M. Garcia		
York	E. Velasco	J. H. Berge	R. K. Campbell
Moldova	V. Slonovski		
Montenegro (G.L. of)	V. Mugosa		
Morocco	S. Cherradi	P. Mouselli	
Netherlands	D. Vugelaar	G. Miltenburg	B.K.Schweitzer
New Zealand	R. A. Lodge	L. J. Webb	A. D. Hogg
Norway	H. Oien	F. Hauan	J. C. Green
Panama	C. M. Herrera	C. Quistgard	W. Utton

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Paraguay (Symbolic)	I. L. Soler		
Peru	M. E. C. Vasquez	A. Cabello R.	C. R. Alexander
Philippines	D. D. Angeles	M. E. Bumanglag	J. P. Chua
Portugal(Legal/Reg)	J. O. E. Silva	P. R. Marcelino de S	M. D. Stienburg
Puerto Rico	J. J. Garcia-Vazquez	J. R. Rivera	P. W. Hooper
Romania (Nat. G.L.)	C. Tohaneanu		
Russia	P. Stroganov		
San Marino	S. Rabini		
Serbia	D. Vucinic		
Slovenia			
Spain	P. P. Gasion	J. A. Rivas Lopez	W. Sanders
Sweden	R. Schultz		L. W. Hammel
Switzerland(Alpina)	R. Clerc	J. Krahenbuhl	J. W. Lidstone
Turkey	S. Ors	S. Aksoy	S. F. Benli
Uruguay	F. Quarneti		T. A. Siemiernik
Venezuela	A. E. Tovar	C. C. Bratt Castillo	R. C. Tate

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON FRATERNAL CORRESPONDENCE

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

Most Worshipful Sir and Brethren:

It is a pleasure to present the Fraternal Correspondence 2016-17 reports on behalf of the team.

FRATERNAL REVIEWS

Proceedings have been received by the team leader from the Grand Lodge office as follows:

- * Rhode Island 2015;
- * Rhode Island 2016;
- * Scotland June 2016;
- * Scotland October 2016;
- * Scotland 2016 Year Book;
- * Vermont 2015;
- * Ireland 2015;
- * Virginia 2015;
- * Massachusetts 2013;
- * Louisiana 2016;
- * Minnesota 2014;

All of which are being reviewed, forwarded and posted as complete.

BEST PRACTICES BENCHMARKING

Bro. Craig Wolverton has completed reports on the Best Practices Benchmarking of Grand Lodge web-sites as follows:

- * Arizona;
- * California;
- * Hawaii;
- * Oregon;
- * Texas.

I am grateful to team member, R.W. Bro. Colin Heap for researching and completing the Fraternal Reviews from the various proceedings received from the Grand Lodge office. To Bro. Craig Wolverton for his efforts and contributions accessing and preparing Reports on Best-Practices, taken from web-sites of interest that he has researched, and to R.W. Bro. David Cameron, Chairman of the Craft Stewardship Committee, for his assistance distributing the Reviews and Reports.

My sincere appreciation is expressed to the Grand Secretary, M.W. Bro. Terence Shand and the Grand Lodge office staff for their assistance in securing the Proceedings from our sister Grand Lodges.

Respectfully submitted.

ROBERT MANZ, Team Leader

Reviews written by

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RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

223rd Annual Communication, East Providence, Rhode Island, May 2015.

Condensed from the Address of M.W. Grand Master Wyman P. Hallstrom 111.

“Brethren, I have been extremely fortunate. I have had the best possible Masonic experience that anyone could ask for. My fear, however, is that many Brethren come into the Craft and never receive the same kind of experience. This is evidenced by one remarkable trend. We are now losing more members to NPD and Demits than we lose to death. For years I have heard that we would have to bring in younger men to carry on as we lost our base of older men, until the average age came down.

We have now achieved that reduction in average age, but our numbers continue to drop; only now it is our coveted younger members. Why this is happening is a question for the ages. I wish I had one simple answer, but I would like to present a few ideas that I hope may provide a solution to the problem. Sometimes new ideas can work to create history, change normal activities, and take us to a new level.

First is the Investigative Process. We need to better educate the Brethren who investigate prospective members. Instead of looking for ways to sell them on the Craft, we must be honest with them on what is required. Tell them it will entail some work, attendance at meetings, classes for proficiency and independent study. If the prospect is uneasy with that, then instead of watering down the Craft to get them in, we should recommend that they wait until they are ready. If we bring in new Masons who are incapable or unwilling to put in their effort, why waste ours?

We must be courageous, and be honest to ourselves and to our prospects that this institution is not for everyone. A small dedicated class of Brethren is far more valuable than a large class of Brothers who never put in any effort, resulting in a chase for dues because they were a bad fit in the first place, and never really ‘got it’ and invested themselves in the Craft.

The second point is the Degree Process. I have heard Freemasonry described as an ‘Initiatic Society’, meaning that we have ceremonies that are supposed to change the way we perceive ourselves and each other, and that shared experience is what binds us together. We must get back to the point where the Degree work should be a life-changing experience.

We expect prospects to invest time and effort to come to meetings, learn proficiency, attend a forum, and then have Officers perform half-hearted work so they can say they did it, and move on to the next chair. If a business seeks customers and then constantly loses them, you would say that the service or the product is to blame. I hope you will all agree that Freemasonry is the ‘best’ product and has been successful for centuries, so that only leaves the service. Fortunately, it is the easiest part to fix with a moderate increase in effort.

The last point I want to address is Value. When is anything in life worthwhile if given away cheap? I am not proposing that we increase our costs, but in many Lodges Dues are a constant source of consternation, as we address the line between what we need and what the members will bear. However, we never look at what we give the membership in return. We must charge Dues that are appropriate to run our Lodges, but we must have a value for the member to appreciate when he writes the cheque. If he is only a member and not a Brother, that cheque will continue to get harder to write.

We need to have Degree work that is performed in a way that is constantly inspirational and not tedious. We need to have programs that are interesting and not mindless, ever remembering that we all put in a lot of effort to get there. I believe that we can handle intelligent and stimulating programs that will challenge us all and inspire discussion. We must do a better job of including new Masons into the fold, not necessarily

as Officers right away, but just including them in committees and projects. There they can grow their talents and meaningfully contribute, so they do not come to Lodge, shake hands with people, and then sit alone. You never know where your next best friend may come from, so avail yourselves to these new Brethren.

I have directed the Grand Lecturer and his assistants to more closely monitor Degree work.

If a Degree is not going well in rehearsal, the individual Assistant Grand Lecturers are obligated to tell the Worshipful Master that he should not run the Degree without rectifying the problem areas. If a lecture goes horribly wrong during a live Degree, he will encourage the Master to call a short recess to allow a struggling Brother to gain composure or perhaps to finish the work at another time in order that the candidate does not get a poor representation of our beautiful work.

The Worshipful Master still has the final say to proceed; it is his Lodge. But as we know from the charge, he is answerable to the Grand Master, so if he proceeds against the recommendation of the AGL, he will be expected to have a good reason why.

We have plans, later in the term, to work on establishing a database of Brothers who truly love the work and particular lectures, so that, in case of illness, work, or family conflict, a substitute may be found. This is not meant to be a crutch, but only to ensure the candidate gets the best experience. This effort to strengthen the work will be assisted by the DDGMs and the Grand Lecturer. If the Lodge continues to promote Officers who cannot perform the work, they will bear the responsibility, and not Grand Lodge. In other words, when it comes to Degree work, we expect it to be done properly and will offer help. But we are not in the business of micro-managing your Lodge Officer progressions, so police yourselves. We just ask you not to ruin the experience for our newest and most vulnerable members.

I have decided not to have an Open House. I believe that the number of new visitors for the number of man-hours required does not make it worthwhile at this time. I do not believe that we should recruit, and as much as we tell ourselves it was a public awareness event, we still judge it by the number of applications taken. Having this event every year reduces the uniqueness of it, and the public begins to take it for granted. I propose a different approach to public awareness. I ask that every Lodge in the Jurisdiction find something in their community that needs assistance and sponsor it. I envision all kinds of opportunities.

Whatever it is, there must be some availability to have our brand on it, and it must be worthy of being sponsored by Freemasonry. Within a reasonable amount, Grand Lodge will reimburse the Lodge for the money spent. It is virtually impossible for our Public Relations Committee to be able to identify opportunities in every community we serve, so the Lodges must get involved and think outside the box. Likewise, there are many Lodges that would like to get more involved in their communities, but do not have the resources. This initiative gives everyone the flexibility to be the hero and represent what the Craft has to offer, without taking on the full financial burden.

I am very pleased to tell you that the majority of our Lodges are doing all or some of these things very well. It is only by bringing these things to light that those areas of weakness can be identified and all Lodges can eventually do all things better. We are in the business of making ourselves and each other better, and the first step is to find out how we can improve. We are all part of the greatest fraternal institution in the world. Our principles have created nations. We must hand it down to our successors with all its greatness and grandeur intact. I believe that men will only come to us if we are true to ourselves, honest about the Craft and what it means to be a Mason.

As the Grand Master of an institution that prides itself on symbolism, I want to take a moment to explain the pin we chose for this year. It is, at first glance, a wheel. It has five spokes, and one is pointed down. That represents the lowest spoke on Fortune's wheel, referred to in the Senior Warden's Installation ritual. Well, sixteen years later, here I am,

and to be honest, I hope that I stand before you the same Brother I was then, more experienced perhaps, but still one of you with a job to do for the Craft. I hope that the input of all the interactions over all these years have left an impression on me that will reflect you in all the decisions I make this year. I hope that as you wear that pin, you will realize that anyone of us can achieve our dreams in Freemasonry. That is a true secret of the Craft.”

RHODE ISLAND AND PROVIDENCE PLANTATIONS

224TH Annual Communication, East Providence, RI, May, 2016.

M.W. Raymond E. Hassell, Grand Master.

It is the position of the Grand Lodge of Rhode Island that the future of the Fraternity and the ability to grow its membership is highly dependent on being able to integrate new members into the activities of the Lodge. When new members become involved and active in their respective Lodges they become the best prospects for new candidates for that Lodge. To that end, Grand Lodge created the MASTER MASON ROOKIE AWARD for newly made Master Masons as the official means by which these goals may be attained.

What is it?

It is a program that Grand Lodge envisions as an ongoing commitment to membership engagement and getting new members to actively participate in the running of their respective Lodges. It is exclusively for those members just entering the Craft, and it outlines eleven requirements that must be completed within twelve months of their raising. As this is a new initiative and there are many new Master Masons already in their first twelve months, they will be allowed eighteen months to complete the requirements.

What is the goal of the award?

It is to keep the new members in their respective Lodges ACTIVE for twelve months. This is to counter the “age old” problem of new members losing interest in Freemasonry. Also, to stem the tide of members looking to Concordant Bodies because of their dissatisfaction with their present situation.

What are the award requirements for new Master Masons during the first twelve months?

There are eleven items on the list – six required and five alternates.

REQUIRED

1. Attend each of the Blue Lodge Degrees at least once, but in another Lodge.
2. Attend at least one visit of the Lodge’s DDGM to another Lodge in one of the Districts.
3. Attend at least seven stated Lodge communications over the course of the year.
4. Work on at least one Lodge social activity or Lodge charitable event.
5. Assist at least once with the Officers setting up the Lodge room for a meeting or rehearsal.
6. Attend a Grand Lodge sponsored educational program.

ALTERNATES.

Choose FIVE of the following eleven activities.

1. Sponsor at least one candidate into the Lodge.
2. Assist at least once with the preparation of candidate(s) before the Degree, or assist in cypher training for another candidate.

3. Assist with the serving or preparation/set-up/cleaning of a Lodge after dinner/meeting or breakfast.
4. Assist in the serving at a Table Lodge within Rhode Island.
5. Attend a Masonic Memorial Service.
6. Assist in a Lodge Open House or Membership Drive event.
7. Assist in a CHIP Program event or Blood Drive within a District.
8. Attend a DeMolay or Rainbow meeting, event or Installation.
9. Visit a Lodge member who is in a nursing home, hospital or home (who is unable to attend meetings).
10. Assist in the delivery of flowers to a Special Lady.
11. Accompany an Investigation Team to the interview of a Petitioner.

PROGRESS CHECKER.

1. Make the Master of your Lodge aware that you are interested in pursuing this award.
2. Get a copy of the requirements and a sign-off form.
3. Keep track of your requirements with a sign-off sheet.
4. Provide dates of the completed activities, as verified by the Worshipful Master.
5. Final sign-off of sign-off sheet by the Lodge Master and the Lodge Secretary.

SUBMITTING YOUR PROGRESS.

1. The Worshipful Master is to provide a written cover letter stating why the new Master Mason is worthy of receiving this award.
2. The sign-off sheet form and letter is submitted by the Lodge Secretary to the Grand Master's Office for his review and approval.
3. Once received and approved, the recipient will receive his award accordingly.

THE AWARD

A framed certificate signed by the Grand Master and the Grand Secretary.

A Master Masons Rookie Award Lapel Pin for the Master Mason.

The Rookie Award is reinforced by several other Grand Lodge Programs, such as the PASSWORD AWARD, which is a pin awarded to any Brother that successfully completes the requirement of visiting ALL Lodges within the Jurisdiction. The main goal of the Program is to show support to the other Lodges by increasing the number of Brethren on the sidelines. It is a great opportunity to meet Brethren from around the State, to create new friendships and restore old ones. The Masonic Passport can be purchased from Grand Lodge for \$20.00.

A further step to prepare new Master Masons in their progress is to provide them with knowledge and insight about the duties and responsibilities required of them as they prepare for their ascent to the position of Worshipful Master of their Lodge.

This Program is called the WARDEN'S WORKSHOP and is specifically designed for Junior and Senior Wardens and Senior Deacons. This workshop is MANDATORY for all those who will eventually become Worshipful Masters of their Lodges. It allows them TWO years to accomplish the requirements. Past Masters of their Lodges who are currently in both the Wardens and Deacons chairs are required to take this program. The subjects that will be covered in depth are:-

1. Preparing and running an efficient meeting.
2. Communication skills.
3. Lodge Finances.

This year, the Grand Lodge also participated in a New England-wide Open House, to positive results. The format was changed, and leaned more toward, - 'Come and see who we are and what we do,' - instead of, - 'Come out and join the Masons.' The advertising strategy was also changed, concentrating most of the advertising during the last two weeks prior to the event. At last count, there were more than fifty potential Petitions.

The CHILD IDENTIFICATION PROGRAM (CHIP) is also alive and well, and is one of the high points in terms of public relations within the Jurisdiction. It provides a significant service in many communities in Rhode Island. The Grand Master closed his Address commenting on the past success of all the Grand Lodge Programs, but added a note of concern regarding current participation and efforts, which are not as intense as in past years. He encouraged all Brethren, especially new and younger members, to "get into the game", and, by helping, bring all these initiatives back on track. But, regardless of any issue, he reaffirmed his confidence that Grand Lodge, the Grand Master and all Brethren in the Jurisdiction, will continue to make all those who have gone before them proud of the way they conduct themselves, and continue to contribute to the future well-being of the Jurisdiction.

SCOTLAND

Regular Communication, Freemason's Hall, Edinburgh, June, 2016.

W. Grand Master Mason, Charles R. Wolrige Gordon of Esslemont.

The Grand Master Mason addressed the Grand Lodge, bringing particular attention to the subject of relations with other Constitutions.

"Now that we have again recognised the Grand Lodge Nationale de Francaise, stability in Europe has greatly improved. There are several areas of concern with regard to recent trouble spots in South Eastern Europe and the Balkans; however, I am a firm believer that we should not seek to intervene in these areas until we receive specific requests for assistance, and our views on recognition remain unchanged. I believe recognition is a matter for each Grand Lodge to decide, whether a Grand Lodge, or a recently revived Grand Lodge, is following the Basic Principles of Grand Lodge Recognition.

It is of course, very easy for a Grand Lodge to state that it will follow these principles, but I believe that we must judge a Grand Lodge on how these practices have been put to the test, and therefore it may take several years before a decision is made to recognise a new Grand Lodge.

In several of our European and East European Grand Lodges there exist many Masonic Bodies who style themselves Freemasons but do not fulfil the Basic Principles of Grand Lodge Recognition. We notice that there has been an upsurge in the numbers of overseas Brethren who have entered into contracts with tour companies to include Grand Lodge tours, which usually include visits to the Grand Lodge here, and then enter into arrangements with various Provinces and Lodges to attend meetings.

I would remind Brethren that while visitors are always welcome and an essential part of a Brother's education, when entering into inter-constitutional visits, Law 207 is quite precise as to what procedures should be followed before obtaining the consent of the Provincial Grand Master and Grand Secretary. The Annual Meeting of the Heads of All Masonic Bodies who operate in Scotland took place in February of this year, and it continues to be an excellent forum for discussing this and other matters of Mutual interest.

In the area of Future Work and Projects, one of the most significant events this year was the progress we have made in my call two years ago to focus on, and improve, Masonic Education. I am grateful to the Province of Renfrewshire East, who, in conjunction with the Information and Communications Committee, have now completed several courses for the Intender Programme, which is designed to encourage Brethren to participate in training courses, which will produce suitably qualified Brethren capable of encouraging other Brethren to offer a deeper insight into our Ritual and the uniqueness of Scottish Freemasonry. It was thought that it would be worthwhile contacting other Provinces to ascertain common problems and whether other solutions could be adopted. Learning from other PLGs might streamline the whole area of membership recruitment and retention. In particular, communicating with lapsed members required further investigation.

Many more of our overseas Brethren are interested in this aspect of our work and I am indebted to the Provincial Grand Lodge of Renfrewshire East in supplying full sets of the material which has been sent to all our overseas Lodges. Combined with the above programme, they are also piloting a series of Degree workings which emphasises more fully the rationale behind our workings, by stopping and explaining the ceremony to Candidates as we progress through the Degree.

On the subject of conferring Degrees; there has been a matter of ongoing concern, that of the practice of "Rough Workings." Given the litigious climate we live in, the potential was high should any mishap befall the Lodges practicing this Working. The potential for injury is serious, and Lodges, Provinces and Grand Lodge would not be exempt from facing legal proceedings should an incident occur. Grand Lodge should ban the practice of rough working, and it should be up to the Provinces to ensure this practice ceases. It was also considered that there was no rationale in the Rituals of Grand Lodge for this Working.

As agreed by the Administration Committee, and supported by Grand Committee, we have commenced a process of revising how Grand Lodge is to be governed. We anticipate that Grand Committee is in effect, too large, and we will be examining areas whereby we may have to reduce the numbers. This is liable to take some time. However, we must persevere with this task.

The Committee received a further report in respect of the Scottish Freemasonry film project. There have been several delays, mainly due to inclement weather. However, I am told that the filming is now almost completed, that the standard of the final product is excellent, and that it will be shortly available on line.

One of the most significant developments in recent years was the completion of the Memorial to those Brethren who have given their lives in the service of others. The Memorial was unveiled by Lord Elgin in October 2016, and it is worth recalling that this is not a War Memorial, but one to all our Brethren regardless of race, religion or nationality. It is a fitting tribute to the many Brethren around the world who have given their lives, be it in peace or war, and in particular in the Police, Fire and other Disciplined Services.

The strategic direction of the Grand Lodge of Scotland Annuity Benevolent Charity Funds (The Trust), is outlined in their statement of Objectivities and Activities. The Trust is committed to continuing to develop its charitable works which takes the form of:-

1. Providing benevolent grants for eligible Freemasons, their widows and their dependents, based on individual needs and requirements.
2. Providing training and education grants to the children and dependents of Freemasons based on individual needs and requirements.
3. Providing grants and donations to the work of external charitable causes, with each application being considered on its own merits.

In 2012 Prostate Scotland was selected as the nominated external Charity for the Grand Lodge of Scotland for the next five years. Many Lodges and Provinces have been making great efforts to boost the total monies raised. A strong partnership has already been established with the Charity, and a total of 288,000 Pounds has been awarded by Scottish Freemasons since 2012.

The Treasurer's Report reveals that Grand Lodge now produces whisky – Grand Master Mason's Choice - and we anticipate producing a quality Vodka and Gin under the same label. The Grand Lodge Whisky has been selling extremely well and the Committee recommended that an additional 100 bottles be ordered with a correct label, including the maturity of the blend. Income from Hall Rentals greatly improved, offsetting the reduction in Annual Dues, but the Surplus also greatly benefitted from the sale of Grand Master Mason's Choice Whisky during the year.

The Chairman and members of the Benevolence and Care Committee invite all Brethren to join them in supporting an initiative which enables much needed money to be raised at NO cost either to you or Grand Lodge. An independent fundraising website which any Brother can access; has been set up and operates in the following manner:-

The scheme operates by the registration of organizations and individuals with the service and when they shop online with a particular retailer, a donation is made to their nominated recipient. It requires you to register once and thereafter you can go directly to the websites of hundreds of retailers and suppliers. Shopping via the Internet is much more cost effective for companies, and it is for this reason they are willing to donate part of these savings to charitable organisations. It is an excellent way of raising funds by doing something which we would anyway.

Since the Committee first approved participation in this initiative, Grand Lodge has been registered, and now has a unique identification number, which means we can receive money from the scheme. Therefore, the more people who register and nominate Grand Lodge as their benefactor, the more funds we can raise simply by making online purchases in the normal way, but using the links from the above site first!

Please feel free to contact the Benevolence and Care department at Freemason's Hall and the staff will be pleased to assist you with any enquiry you may have.

It is very difficult to raise funds in these challenging economic times, so Brethren are encouraged to consider this initiative to raise monies for the Benevolent Funds of your Grand Lodge."

SCOTLAND

Condensed from the Scottish Annual Report, Freemason's Hall, Edinburgh, December, 2016.

The Scottish Grand Lodge Year Book reflected on the history of the three Home Lodges, Scotland, England and Ireland; reaffirmed their core principles; their relations with other Jurisdictions; their relevance and relationship with society and their direction for the future.

"In the 1930s, a great deal of anti-Masonic propaganda was coming out of the Fascist dictatorships of Russia, Germany, Italy and Spain. In 1938 representatives of the three Grand Lodges met again, and for the first time agreed upon a statement – now known as the "Aims and Relationships of the Craft" – defining what Freemasonry is and how it operates in society and issued it to the Press. That statement was reissued in 1949 and still stands today as the basic definition of what they are and how they are governed. It affirms the basic Principles of Grand Lodge Recognition.

1. That a belief in the Supreme Being is an essential qualification for membership.

2. That the Bible, referred to by Freemasons as the Volume of the Sacred Law, shall always be open in Lodges and that every candidate shall be required to take his obligation on that Book, or by the Volume which is held by his particular creed to impart sanctity to an oath or promise taken upon it.
3. That the Three Great Lights of Freemasonry shall always be exhibited when the Grand Lodge or its Subordinate Lodges are at work.
4. That the membership of the Grand Lodge and individual Lodges shall be composed exclusively of men.
5. That the Grand Lodge shall have sovereign jurisdiction over the Lodges under its control, that is, it shall be a responsible, independent, self-governing organization, with the sole and undisputed authority over the Craft of the Three Symbolic Degrees within its jurisdiction, and shall not in any way be subject to divide such authority with any other Masonic Power claiming any control or supervision over those Degrees.
6. That every member shall be strictly forbidden to countenance any act which may have a tendency to subvert the peace and good order of society; that he shall pay due obedience to the law of any State in which he may reside or which may offer him protection; and that he must never be remiss in the allegiance due to the Sovereign or Constitutional Authority of his native land.
7. That while reserving the right of the individual to hold his own opinion on public affairs, neither in Lodge, nor at any time in his capacity as a Freemason shall a member be permitted to discuss or to advance his views on theological or political questions.
8. That the principles of the Ancient Landmarks, established customs and usages of the Craft shall be strictly observed in all Lodges.

Since the 1960's "The Three" have met annually, rotating meetings between London, Edinburgh and Dublin. They work very closely together and are regarded internationally not only as the originators of Freemasonry, but as the joint guardians of Masonic regularity. Historically, they have recognised their territorial jurisdiction at home, but agreed they could share equally overseas territories in what was then the expanding British Empire. In recent years, much of the discussions have centred around the huge expansion of Masonry since the change in the political climate of Eastern Europe in 1989; from 18 Grand Lodges at that time to 44 today.

Many new Grand Lodges from Eastern Europe have formed or re-established themselves over the last few years, and they are seeking advice and counsel from the older established Grand Lodges. It therefore makes sense that the three Home Grand Lodges, as far as possible, are giving a similar message; in particular a message to avoid the temptation to stray into the realms of political, religious or social commentary. This was recently exhibited during the recent turmoil in the Grand Lodge National de France when the three Home Grand Lodges agreed that it was most important during this crisis that we should strive to act in concert, and be seen to be preserving the integrity of the system of recognition. The timing of our decisions, first to suspend and then break of relations with GLNF, and then, more importantly, to re-recognise them, was crucial in bringing about a common sense resolution to the GLNF saga.

The individual sovereignty of every Grand Lodge is paramount, and the Grand Lodge of Scotland will never support any permanent European Secretariat or Standing Committee with regard to issues of recognition and we will continue our long-standing policy of being cautious when we are asked to recognise new or re-emerging Grand Lodges.

One of the biggest challenges facing Freemasonry must be to change the negative public attitude toward the Craft, which seems all too regularly experienced, to a positive

one. Society has changed; we must change with it. The best advert for Freemasonry is for each and every Brother to strive in his daily life to gain the respect of the public, and become more involved in our communities. Lodges are thriving and enjoyable where the Brethren are active and visible. It is also important that Lodge activities are designed to be more family friendly, and that real efforts are made to involve families in the work and life of the Lodge.

This may mean, for example, changing the times of our meetings or having specific activities to include the family. Bearing in mind how much Society has changed in the last thirty years, it is no longer acceptable for a father of young children to disappear to this mysterious society or meeting several times a week, and expect that his family accepts this exclusion from a large part of his life.

The factors for change are known as the PEST factors.

Political, Economic, Social and Technical.

The major factor affecting us is the Social Factor. This is where the challenge comes from.

There is a constant battle with the “Aye Beens,” “It has aye been done this way and canny be done any other way.”

We must be evangelists for change and alter that attitude to read, “Keep changing, for when you’ve finished changing, you’re finished.”

Change has to be seen as a challenge, not a threat, to ensure the progress of our organization, and not just for changes sake. The success of any organization should not be calculated on the basis of numbers on the books. Success should be calculated on how well Freemasonry is working – within the Craft, within Communities and in the wider geographical sphere.

Our public image is enhanced by our visible charities. Masonry is not of course a charity, but all over the world Freemasons contribute millions of pounds to an array of deserving causes; to Prostate Scotland for Cancer Research; Drug rehabilitation in the Caribbean; and to establishing an Ebola Educational Trust Fund in Sierra Leone.

Another very visible charity is of course, the Annual Poppy Scotland appeal, where Lodges and individual Brethren can purchase crosses or other religious symbols with a Square and Compass stamped on in memory of a departed Brother. They are planted in Princess Street Garden in Memorial week and are a very public display of Freemasonry’s sacrifice of which we can be very proud. It is important to stress that the memorial is not just in remembrance of those killed in military service, but also to the memory of all Brethren who have given their lives in the service of others, be it Fire or Police in the line of duty, or to carers who devoted their lives to the care of the elderly or sick, and representing Scottish Freemasons all over the world.

All the fore-mentioned initiatives and efforts point out that the Craft is a network of inextricably linked Brethren, and it is the actions or inactions of each individual Brother that will reflect credit or otherwise on the Fraternity as a whole. We firmly believe that we all strive to live up to the tenets and ideals of the Craft. Equally, there are probably very few Brethren who consistently and conscientiously manage to follow those teachings throughout their lives. Human frailty will invariably cause us to stumble periodically. The important consideration is to know when we have strayed and how to rediscover our values.

We have a wonderful organization which we believe has increasing validity and relevance in today’s troubled world. It is our duty to do everything we can to promote the Craft and hand it over to future generations in a stronger condition than we received it. This will require hard work – and that is not just the task of Grand Lodge or Provincial or District Grand Lodge – but of every individual Brother from the Grand Master Mason to the newest Entered Apprentice.”

VERMONT

221st Annual Communication, Burlington, Vermont, June 2015.

84 Lodges

5484 Members

From the Address by Most Worshipful Grand Master, Roger L. Crouse.

“During this past year, and during my visits, I informally addressed the health of Lodges based on attendance, meeting content, refreshments available, and community involvement. I concluded that our Lodges are roughly broken into three categories; healthy, marginal, and at risk of not surviving. Please ensure that your Lodge becomes or remains healthy. I have noticed increased attendance at Lodges which are including food and meaningful content such as Masonic Education.

In my travels I have witnessed many good things. I have experienced great hospitality on all occasions, and have listened to many great Educational programs. Those Lodges with good attendance and interesting discussions are, for the most part, lively and productive. I have heard of excellent examples of community outreach, and I thank all the Lodges who are following this pattern.

In some other cases, I have seen no meals or refreshments, no educational programs or little discussion. This often results in marginal attendance.

And why not?

Several Lodges are only drawing older members. Some Lodges are considering consolidation. The reported reason is low attendance, finance, and/or small membership. I urge all Lodges to establish committees to address and fix the areas of concern. Make your meetings meaningful to bring Brothers back. Find ways to improve finances. Seek new members – especially younger ones. Be proud of our Fraternity and convince others that being associated with us holds value.

Some Lodges and Districts are having success with Lodges of Instruction. Such programs are vital for continued accuracy in Ritual and floor work. In particular, I have heard, indirectly, that after some inaccurate Ritual work; some Brethren said “Close enough.” I have witnessed cases where the letter was right but the word was wrong. “Close enough” is not “good enough.”

I have one other concern; Investigating Committees. Our recruiting focus should be on finding men who match our values and will promote our objectives. We had two men this year in the middle of their Degree progression who were incarcerated for crimes. First, they do not represent the type of men who should be allowed to approach the West Gate. Second, the investigation process failed in both cases. I hope any Brother assigned to an Investigating Committee takes his responsibility seriously.

Grand Lodge is ready to help you, as Brothers and Lodges. When I was first elected, and again to a second term, I offered several points we should focus on. Briefly, this is my Report Card:

Improving ourselves. By and large we are. More work is needed!

Improving our Lodges; both our Brothers and the physical buildings. The Lodges I visited during Open Houses exhibited pride.

Improving our appearance where needed. I give you an A. I was informed at more than one Meeting, “We heard you were coming, so we put on jackets and ties.” Nice! Perhaps we could show pride in attending Meetings and make it a habit.

Improving our Membership, both in numbers and quality. With numbers declining at 3% a year and candidates incarcerated, this needs work.

Improving Meeting content. Many Lodges and Districts are doing well.

Improving retention. Those Lodges with good Meeting content, as above, benefit with improved membership retention.

Improving our influence in the public domain. In some cases, non-Masons across the street do not know where the Masonic Hall is. There have been positive results, but this still needs work.

Brethren, a Grand Master never has time to implement everything he wishes to do. To that point, I refer you to the goals and objectives of the Long Range Planning Committee, launched in 2012 to set a path for the success of the Grand Lodge of Vermont now and in the future, without interfering with any program a future Grand Master may wish to pursue.

There are four stated visions to be implemented in the following manner:

THE MASONIC EXPERIENCE AT STATED MEETINGS.

Minimize business. Focus on policy decisions and meaningful educational presentations. Handle routine business off-line. Maintain decorum during Meetings. Provide a guide on running an effective meeting. Practice and expect good opening and closing Ritual. Practice and expect good Degree Ritual. Restrict the number of candidates per Degree. Have a rigorous Mentor Program. Train and Mentor Officers. Schedule leadership-type seminars and classes.

PUBLICITY – COMMUNICATIONS AND MEDIA.

Improve the Grand Lodge Website. Re-design the platform and expand the information available. Update resources. Make use of social media. Define the publicity vision and the infrastructure of the Publicity Committee. Update the existing Publicity Manual and make it available on-line and have it distributed by DDGMs. Assist the Lodges with websites and trestle boards. Establish a Lodge Publicity Officer. Hold events such as Open Houses.

MEMBERSHIP PROGRAM - ATTRACTING POTENTIAL CANDIDATES.

Create information pamphlets for potential candidates. Develop an invitation process. Establish guidelines for the investigation process. Assign a Mentor to all new candidates. Establish a minimum proficiency level. Continue to Mentor all new candidates through all Degrees, and subsequently, and get them involved in Lodge activities.

EDUCATION.

Establish Mentors for all Officers. Develop Officers Manuals and Leadership workshops. Develop District Education Officers and Lodge Education Officers for the general membership. Develop and make available a set of proficiency materials for new candidates. Establish Mentor workshops. Promote and make available educational material. Schedule Education workshops. Get the Vermont Masonic Academy up and running. Make better use of the Vermont Lodge of Research.

This is a living document and subject to change as we learn and improve every year. We will develop progress indicators to measure success and identify weaknesses in key areas.

All of us, those of us in this room who represent the leadership of our Fraternity in this State, must not lose sight of who we are, where we are headed, how we can help each other and how we can help those who look to us as leaders. We are all volunteers and are dedicated to this Fraternity. If we were not, we would not be here. I ask that all Grand Lodge Committee Chairs take a more proactive role to involve all committee members in committee work, and that the Grand Lodge continues and completes work on this Long Range Plan, and establishes and implements the action plans to bring it to life.

My hat is off to you for being who you are, and for working hard for the benefit of Freemasonry in Vermont.”

IRELAND

St. John's Day Communication, Limerick, Ireland, December 28th, 2015.

Condensed from the Grand Master's Report. M.W. Bro. Douglas T. Grey, Grand Master.

"In May, it was the turn of the Grand Lodge of Ireland to host the annual Tri-Partite meeting with Scotland and the United Grand Lodge of England. During this meeting, interesting views were expressed, and it is very comforting to witness that the three Grand Lodges are in complete agreement on all aspects of Masonry today. Our sister Grand Lodges are dealing with all the same issues as ourselves; falling membership, reduction in the number of Lodges, and members being distracted by the many other attractions being offered by a changing society in general.

However, I am heartened by the interest being shown by people who heretofore would have had a jaundiced view of our Order, but being somewhat disenchanted by the major institutions of Church and State are seeking other avenues to occupy some of their leisure time to satisfy their wish to better contribute to society. Having researched various options, particularly through the Internet, quite a number have approached Masonry, impressed by our willingness to hold their own view within our General Principles. We do, of course, have to be especially careful that any research carried out by these prospective members is correctly sourced. A lot of misinformation can be found, particularly for those whose motives may not be as laudable as we might wish to assume. Scrutineering therefore, becomes much more important in these modern times than may have been in the past.

In January, I represented Grand Lodge at the Holocaust Memorial in Dublin, which commemorated that dreadful episode in history. I was also honoured in June to be invited to the memorial of those who died not only in the two World Wars, but also in various conflicts around the globe. I was pleased to be allowed to lay a wreath in memory of those Brethren who made the ultimate sacrifice in these conflicts so that we are free to carry on our lives and activities as Freemasons and committed members of society. This is something we should never forget. Again, in November, I was present at the service in our National Cathedral in Dublin, where our President, Michael D. Higgins, laid a wreath in honour of those who died on behalf of all the people of this island. As in previous years, the Grand Lodge of Ireland was given quite a prominent position at the service opposite the President. I am of the view that this illustrates an awareness and acceptance of Freemasons as being an integral part of Irish society.

Our Charities are continuing to do their vital work within our Order as well as supporting outside bodies. Our Funds are expertly managed by the Trust Company in these volatile times. The Boys' and Girls' Funds continue to fulfill their important mission as do the Victoria Jubilee and Welfare Funds. In this financially difficult climate greater demands are being made for assistance from the Welfare Fund, and I am very pleased to report that we are meeting these demands, although not without the need for some very hard decisions. I thank all the Lodges and Members who continue to support this most important part of our activities, and who do not forget the impact of inflation by increasing, where possible, their generosity.

It was a very successful year for both the Boys and Girls Funds. 181 Boys were supported at a cost of 326,421 Euros. 278 Girls Fund were supported at a cost of 597,277 Euros, which represents an average cost of 2090 Euros per beneficiary towards the cost of their education. The requested and required level of financial support varied from a few hundred Euros in some instances, to up to 15,000 required to complete a Masters' Degree.

Although both Funds are in a healthy financial position, we are still obliged to be prudent and satisfy ourselves that any assistance or grants given are reasonable and justified. We have the benefit of reports from and discussions with our professional

“Visitors”, who visit the applicant families and prepare reports on each case. They treat all applicants in a kind, sympathetic and compassionate manner, and they bring knowledge, experience and wisdom to every situation. Furthermore, as was alluded in last years’ report, each Fund can consider applications for assistance from the sons and daughters of former Freemasons. We want to help our Brethren in the education of their children if that help is needed. I urge you all, particularly Almoners, to seek out and find deserving Members or former Members of the Order who need assistance and encourage and help them to apply for that assistance.

At my Initiation, I promised that I would not be a “new broom” and make sweeping changes, as my predecessors have done a great job in leading this Organisation. As promised, I have consulted formally and informally and we have made some changes in our Administration to bring us up-to-date with modern business methods and means of communication.

One of the main items we have considered is how we communicate with and educate Members and Lodges. To that end it is intended to set up a committee to review education within Lodges and also to examine communication. We have held a meeting with representatives of all the Provinces to consider the future of the Grand Lodge News and how information can be disseminated. It was a relaxed, free and frank exchange of views and consultations. It is intended to have in every Province a Lodge Information Officer and to encourage all Provinces to have a website.

We already have a small group examining our Laws and Constitutions, which is a very big undertaking and this will be ongoing during the coming year. We are moving (indeed probably already there) into the electronic age, and like all other Bodies, Masonry will have to embrace this fact – whether we like it or not! Therefore, this will be a continuing discussion for the Cabinet, who are reviewing the past year to consider various issues and to firm up on our plans for the coming year.

The Metropolitan Class of Instruction, which meets three times per month, exists to support Freemasons in the Metropolitan and surrounding environs by providing instruction and guidance on matters concerning Ritual and Ceremonial. Classes are primarily concerned with Opening and Closing, but may include any other topic of Ritual that participants may wish to raise. Question and Answer sessions are also conducted on any issue relating to the Principles of Freemasonry. All three Degrees are exemplified throughout the year here and in the Provinces, and the Brethren work diligently to improve the quality of Ritual and Uniformity in the Subordinate Lodges. A very essential function of these Classes is to give younger Masons a chance to take a more active part in their Lodge.

However, at this point I must remind you of a note received from the Grand Secretary of Instruction by the Board of General Purposes on the matter of Exemplifying Degrees in other Constitutions – a reminder to be circulated throughout our Jurisdiction from the Grand Lodge of Instruction – that this practice is strictly forbidden without, amongst other things, receiving Grand Lodge permission and also that of the hosting Grand Lodge.

A question was asked at one Session regarding the progression through the various Offices to the Worshipful Master. It is, of course, an absolute requirement that the Worshipful Master elect must have served as a Warden prior to becoming Worshipful Master. It is also preferable that he should progress through as many of the lesser Offices as possible on his way to Warden. Attendance at Lodge meetings and involvement in the workings of the Lodge are the major requirements for progression, and if these are not being attained then consideration should be given to leap-frogging others more proficient. A Past Master’s Jewel is NOT an absolute right at the end of the Worshipful Master’s term of Office, but is given in recognition of services rendered to the Lodge. It is an expectation of endeavour for Masonry.

The Metropolitan Board has now completed its development plan, “Vision for the Future” a little ahead of schedule. The Board is now launching its next Strategic

Development Plan, called “Building for the Future” that will run from 2015 through to 2020. The Plan will cover many topics that fall under the four main headings as follows:-

Governance.
 Membership.
 Benevolence.
 Facilities/Social.

This Plan is designed to provide a sustainable organisation for the future. All comments on this project are welcome. I wish to record my thanks to all our Grand Lodge Officers; to our Provincial Grand Masters and Brethren in ALL our Provinces, at home or abroad. We all share a mutual purpose; to maintain a high standard of all that is good in Freemasonry.

I will close with a phrase from a book a Brother received over Christmas, which he has repeated to me several times:-

“Look on the past with gratitude, the present with enthusiasm, and the future with confidence.”

I think that would be a good guideline for Freemasonry.”

VIRGINIA

237th Grand Annual Communication, Richmond, Virginia, November, 2015.

309 Lodges

35,458 Members
 (Loss 113)

The Grand Lodge of Virginia sends a letter to all Master Masons six months after they have been raised, asking them all the same question, “Has your experience, as regards being a Mason, lived up to your expectations?”

By far, the responses have been favourable. They describe, in positive terms, activities on the part of a Lodge, or a specific Brother, that has caused them to be pleased they have become a member of the Fraternity. Such results do not happen by accident. The Membership and Retention Committee analysed the current status of the Craft, brainstormed several ideas, and evaluated a number of membership related actions and proposals that fitted into the Grand Lodge Strategic Action Plan.

Within the Lodge, the most effective initiatives are programs that continually strive for excellence in Ritual, Masonic Education and Mentorship. They ensure a quality experience for all members. They acknowledge that membership retention begins at the very first contact that a potential Master Mason has with the Fraternity. This could be a visit to a Lodge or the Grand Lodge Website, or an interaction with a Master Mason.

The Committee also emphasises the use of the “Share the Light of Freemasonry” or, “Bring a Friend Night” booklets for Lodges to use as resources. Open Houses, Blood Drives and Child Identification events are just a few of the ways a Lodge may strengthen its relationship with their Community. They are an opportunity to share the values of the Fraternity with men who may be inclined to inquire more about Freemasonry.

Beginning in 2008, the Masonic Education Committee has been encouraging the development of Masonic Education papers to be presented to the Lodge at their stated communication by the Lodge Education Officer or an interested Brother, at the discretion of the Worshipful Master, to explain and impart further understanding of the Ritual being taught that evening. New papers are needed to expand this program, and every Mason is challenged to develop a paper related to a Masonic topic, such as the meaning of a symbol in our Ritual, a viewpoint on our Philosophy, or a historical aspect of Freemasonry.

All of the above efforts and intentions can be condensed into five goals, the common purpose of all members, from the Grand Master, to the Worshipful Masters and Brethren:-

Getting Brothers to come to Lodge.

Membership retention.

Educating our Brothers.

Developing future leaders.

Teaching Freemasonry.

In the pursuit of these goals, and in analysing the State of The Craft, the Grand Master noted achievements and areas of concern. He noticed a trend that the Craft as a whole was slipping away from protocol, decorum, Ritual, and in some cases, even Masonic law. This trend needs to be reversed and he has instructed all District Deputy Grand Masters to notify him if they witness any violations of Masonic law. His intention is not to discipline or punish offending Brethren, but to correct errors in the friendliest manner by whispering wise counsel, in the belief that educating the Lodges is the correct method for their improvement. While this may not be a cure, it is a solution that must be taken to reverse the trend. He noted there are excellent Lodges manned by excellent Brethren and this is a step towards making them even better.

On the positive side, he noted that evidence and reports suggest that the Fraternity has become attractive to the current generation of young men, who are looking for something meaningful and important in their lives. They believe it to be worthwhile and they want to be part of it. They research Grand Lodge on the Internet – sorting through material that is sometimes outrageously defamatory – and arrive at their own conclusions. When they inquire about membership they probably already know they want to join, and certainly know much more about the Craft than did applicants of a generation or even ten years ago.

They come from what has been described as the “skipped generation.” Their grandfathers were Masons, but their fathers were not. Their inquiries reveal that they are looking for substance in their lives. Part of what they seek, and what we offer, is light. They want education, and we have many tools – schools, courses, classes, books and publications, abundantly available to them. We must expose those members to the educational resources and lead them to the light.

Yet the integrity of the Craft must be maintained. Applications cannot be taken for granted. Grand Lodge agreed to institute a background check of all potential candidates prior to the ballot on a Petition to receive the Degrees in Freemasonry. This was the first year that the using of this new tool assisted investigating committees in making their recommendation to the Lodge. It was hoped this process would “weed out” potential problems in a Petitioner’s past life that they may wish to keep secret. While it is difficult to believe that a person would not be forthright or honest on his Petition, there were some poor choices made in the past which could have brought difficulty or disgrace to the Craft, or even danger to others we may have wished to serve. As hoped, many who asked for a Petition withdrew it once they realised a background check was mandatory. The Grand Master concluded that this new process is already arriving at the desired effect of protecting our Ancient Craft.

The Grand Master, M.W. Reese Edward Carroll Jr., provided a One-Day Conferral Program, by which over five hundred individuals were afforded the opportunity to become Masons during the Exemplification of the Work, which was quite impressive. Today’s world places many obstacles and challenges before us, and schedules make it difficult for some to join our Fraternity in the traditional way. This has allowed them to take the first step in Freemasonry.

“Now,” the Grand Master stated, “it up to us to Mentor them in the ways in which they can best serve our Lodges and grow in the Fraternity. In addition to our traditional

method of instruction, I see a new way of teaching our ancient Ritual, through secure electronic media to enable instructor and student to work together without the time constraints of travel.

“Over the past fifty years” he continued, “we have seen a gradual and continuing erosion in the number of Masons throughout the world.” Here, in America from the late 1950s until the end of the last century, the membership of our fifty Grand Lodges has dropped by more than 50%. There is no single cause for this decline, and unfortunately there is no single solution. Obviously, a number of factors is; at work. In our country, some observers claim, this is simply a return to the normal size of the Fraternity, after the unusual expansion which took place following the Second World War.

Others point to the changes which our society has experienced over the last few decades. We perceive the increasingly self-concern of the younger generation; the “BOWLING ALONE SYNDROME”; the influence of television, the Internet and Smart Phones. So many people today are satisfied with just sitting back and watching the world go round – quick to complain and make judgements, but slow to jump in and be part of the solution.

How is it possible for a truly free society to flourish in the absence of the kind of vibrant associational society we used to take for granted? Are the new social networks of the Internet in any sense a substitute for traditional associational life? I would argue that they are not.

Throughout our history, Masons were not only members of the founding fathers, but were leaders in liberation movements against colonialism in the 19th century. They fought against the evils of slavery...for the separation of Church and State...for many of the rights and liberties that today are a part of what we believe an enlightened nation should be. We have been standing on the shoulders of an endless line of good men who believed in and acknowledged the basic teachings of Freemasonry. It is crystal clear to me that the teachings have not changed. Nearly all dimensions of life are naturally adjusting to a new age, to a changing world, based largely on computer technology and instant communications.

In light of this, is our work done? Are we, the Masons of Virginia and throughout America, going to rest on our laurels, and simply rejoice in our past glories? I hope not, and I certainly think not.

How does one conclude? Well, as each Grand Master takes office, so does another Grand Junior Warden. For progress to be made in Freemasonry, you must have continual change, fresh ideas and renewed inspiration. The next carefully chosen Brother will bring just that.”

MASSACHUSETTS

Stated Communication, Boston, Massachusetts, December, 2013.

233 Lodges

34,263 Members

An overview of the Craft from the Address of M.W. Bro. Richard James Stewart, Grand Master.

“Where and what will our Fraternity be when we celebrate our Three Hundredth Anniversary in 2033? Will we be the Fraternity our forefathers envisioned? We are the stewards of this great Fraternity they put in place. To this end, the time has come when we must take a hard look at the financial positions of our Lodges and the condition of our Lodge buildings. We can no longer continue to depend on and spend what I call the inheritance our forefathers set aside for our Fraternity. It is time to reinvest in it.

Each of our Lodges should and must budget to operate at a break-even point. We must not let the expenses of running our buildings take the Lodges down. We must take a

look at the number of Lodges in our Districts and ask ourselves, do we need to have four to six buildings in a District? Can those Lodges work within two or three buildings? These are the hard questions we must ask ourselves if we plan on being at least, if not better, the Fraternity we are today when we reach that anniversary in 2033.

Maintaining the high standard of our Lodge Officers goes hand in hand with maintaining our buildings. This is the sole purpose of our Lodges of Instruction, to instruct the candidates on the Degrees they recently received and train the Officers on the 'how's and why's' of running a successful Lodge. Effort equals results; no effort equals poor to no results. We have spent a lot of time and energy improving the Lodge of Instruction. Here are some of the changes that will be forthcoming in the new Masonic year. The Officer format as we know it will change.

The District Deputy Grand Master will run the LOI, or will appoint someone he feels qualified to do so. The District Deputy Grand Secretaries will become the Secretaries, the District Deputy Grand Marshall will become the Marshall, and a Chaplain will be appointed. There will not be any Warden positions. The Instructors will come from the District and will be Past District Deputy Grand Masters and Past Masters. The Training and Education Committee will furnish ten standardized formatted modules for the Officer Instruction portion of the LOI. All Lodge Line Officers who will advance to an elected office must attend at least seven out of ten LOI meetings. Failure to do so will not allow their advancement to the next Officer Station.

The Education and Training Committee has been working overtime for the past three years to reshape the Lodges of Instruction. It is one of the best resources for continuing education for Lodge Officers. It is not a form of punishment. Today, we have younger Brethren moving so rapidly to the East without the proper mentoring than we had in years past, and it is important to show them the proper aspects of running a Lodge. The 'new normal' progression through a line might mean that a Brother could be seated in the Oriental Chair in just a few years. Enhanced opportunities for learning are essential to the Craft's success. If we are unable to do this properly, we will lose what I call 'the Masonic System', which our forefathers designed to guide our Fraternity. It is our obligation not to let this great Masonic System, in place for the last 280 years, slip away, but keep it alive and vibrant.

The Fraternity, it is said, may continue to get a little bit smaller before it gets better. If you concur with that premise, I would simply ask that you emphasize that it will get better. The good news is that we are getting younger with each new Brother initiated, so that our demographics are shifting in our favour. It is also our Observation of the Craft that if something is worth having, it is worth working for. We do not believe it is wise to offer up the whole of Freemasonry in a One Day Session, as has happened in the past, without asking men to work for it. They are expected to work for it – and if they are not willing to do that – they should not be in it.

We at Grand Lodge also saw a need for better communications with the members of our Lodges. From that idea, the Town Hall Meeting style program was established, whereby the Grand Master and his panel would meet with members face-to-face. Over the last two years we have conducted twenty-one meetings throughout the State. We have offered members the opportunity to ask questions of their Grand Lodge and have their questions answered on the spot in a very open and transparent manner. It has proven to be the best means of communication between our members and Grand Lodge. I sincerely believe that it has broken down the mind-set barrier of "us against them."

The Grand Lodge Committee continues to support the Spring State-Wide Open House and the Fall Square and Compasses Event. Based on continuing feedback we believe these programs should continue. In addition, we have moved to gather information via an electronic form. The previous forms that had been used continued to provide a diminishing return in form of feedback received from our Lodges, as it created a fair amount of work in sifting through the hard-copy data that came in slowly. The switch to

an electronic system produced over a 70% rate of feedback. It is a valuable source of information and assists us in our advertising efforts.

In addition to the above activities, we continue to stress the need for assistance in keeping the many programs that we currently have in operation before the minds of our members. We have also offered up the services of our Committee members to provide additional support to Lodge Membership efforts on an as-needed basis. As the year concluded, the Committee began to turn to a re-focusing of efforts around a core set of Program offerings, coupled with an updated focus on membership messaging through many forms. It is my intention that we focus this Committee on doing fewer things better, spending our efforts in areas that can truly impact our membership and where we can see measurable positive payoff.

The Education and Training Departments and Membership Development Committee realigned and updated training to best suit our newer Brethren and help them develop as great Masons. The New Wardens Workshop, a program called 'Beyond the Third Degree', and an updated Master's Path Program provide insight that will inspire men to seek 'more light.'

Though we have seen advancing numbers in our Rolls and enthusiastic young Brethren, it was clear that the business of Freemasonry has not received the attention it deserved for some time. We should not and cannot live off the fruit from the trees others have planted. It is our obligation to leave this Fraternity better off than when we found it. Change comes hard; feelings are hurt at times, and often you won't know you're right until time itself provides the answer.

The 'Gift' of Freemasonry once given cannot be taken back. Should the experience be less than satisfactory, the recipient will be less inclined to share it. A poor first impression will be a stain on our organization and leave us with a very unhappy candidate, a 'Rusty Brother', or a Demit in short order. The new Entered Apprentice is the most important member of our Craft. Do not underestimate this Brother. The investment you make in him can be returned twofold. First, he will spread his enthusiasm among his friends outside our circle. Secondly, his zeal will invigorate our Lodges and Officers, who will continue to do their great work. Conversely, never take him for granted. Should our work with him be less than satisfactory, he will share THAT experience with those outside, cheating us of potential new Brethren.

For this Fraternity to continue to endure, it is up to each Brother in this room to begin to identify your local challenges. Adopt a plan to meet those challenges then measure your own success. Each Region, District or Lodge has issues that will be best addressed at the local level.

Are you properly capitalized?

Does your current line of Officers have the 'Right Stuff'?

Are we welcoming the best and brightest to join our Lodge?

Is your building sound and inviting?

From stemming the rapid decline in membership; to enhancing the learning experience of our young Officers; to putting your Grand Lodge on a sound financial footing, each Grand Master has taken the necessary action at the time to move us forward. There are improvements still to come. The answers to all these questions and challenges cannot be answered here at this head table. But they do lie with you sitting out in these halls tonight.

Our Grand Lodge will continue to provide the working tools for your Craftsmen.

However, it is up to each of you to employ those tools as efficiently as possible; to adapt our Fraternity to live within its means and to better serve its constituents."

LOUISIANA

205th Annual Communication, Alexandria, Louisiana, January 2016.

243 Lodges

19,148 Members
(Loss-1206)

M.W. Bro. William James Mollere, Grand Master.

The Grand Master's Address focused on the key issues of Membership, Ritual and Education.

MEMBERSHIP.

The Grand Master gave the Membership Development Committee the task of creating a program and designing a medal that would be a fitting honour for the Brethren who toil in the vineyards, for their zeal in keeping the Fraternity alive for years to come. The goal was to achieve a GAIN in membership this year through the TUFOR Award, to strive and work together and find a candidate to replace each one of us, and another one to grow Masonry for the future. It recognizes all Brethren who first-line signed the Petitions of two Master Masons who were Raised – gaining a new Member for the Lodge and a new Member to replace the first-line signer. “Together oUr Future and One more for ouRselves” was the slogan.

All DDGMs make a significant contribution to this program. They were charged with the duty of contacting all the Lodges within their area and telling them that they will be present whenever they have an EA Degree. They are the GM's personal representatives. Therefore, after the Degree is over, they are called upon to congratulate the new EA candidate with a hardy handshake and to tell him that they represent the Grand Master, and that he wants to extend to him a heartfelt welcome into Freemasonry. They advised the Brother that the Grand Master is unable to be present, but he wanted the DDGM to personally greet him and to tell him the Grand Master will be sending a personal letter of congratulations. This will make a positive impression that could be lasting and lead to

RETENTION.

Think about this. What do you think you would have felt like if this would have happened to you? When the DDGM visits the Lodge and at all District Lodges, he should remind the Brethren of this program. Tell them that when they have signed up two new candidates who complete the MM's Degree, they will be eligible for the TUFOR Award and a beautiful certificate.

The work of the Master Mason who is the first signer of the Petition does not end after he has signed up the candidate. The Brother needs to have continuous contact with the candidate and make sure he continues his studies. In the years past we have all fallen short. We just sign the Petition and hope that he will keep going back to his coach. If he doesn't, then we have just lost another Mason that could be a vital asset to his Lodge.

When the Grand Lodge was contacted that a new EA candidate received his Degree, the office would issue the Brother a letter from the Grand Master welcoming him into Freemasonry. Then, upon completion of his Master Mason Degree, he will receive a second letter from the Grand Master complimenting him on becoming a Mason.

In support of the above program, every Lodge has been asked to personally talk to every Brother who is in danger of being suspended for Non-Payment of Dues, and determine what could be done to assist in maintaining the Brother's membership. Grand Lodge can have a membership GAIN by keeping all current members and not suspending anyone for failing to keep their Dues current. We need to know the reason why and then “fix it.”

RITUAL

Ritual Proficiency is one of the foundations of Freemasonry in helping forge that “Mystic Tie that binds all of Freemasons together into one Universal Brotherhood.” Properly and proficiently conferring the Degrees of Freemasonry on every candidate ensures that the new Brother’s foundation is properly laid, and the meaning of the words, the intent of the lectures and the lessons of Freemasonry begin properly. While Louisiana Masonry has many proficient Master Masons and Lodges that Open and Close and confer Degrees in an excellent manner, there are some who cannot.

In order to encourage and ensure better Ritual Proficiency, the Ritual Certification Program administered by the Permanent Committee on Work (PCOW) is hereby revised as of January 1st 2016, by offering three levels of Certification, each supervised by the District Grand Lecturers (DGLs).

Level One Certificates will be issued to those Master Masons declared proficient who can Open and Close the Lodge in all Three Degrees in all stations.

Level Two Certificates will be issued to those Master Masons declared Proficient in all of the above, AND who can recite the Questions and Answers for the catechisms of all Three Degrees.

Level Three Certificates will be issued to those Master Masons who are declared Proficient in all the Esoteric Work.

All holders under the current Program of Certificates of Proficiency shall be declared holders of Level Three Certificates. However, the dates of expiration, if after January 1st 2016, shall require the Master Mason to be re-examined at Level Three to be declared Proficient in the Work to maintain the Level Three Certificate of Proficiency.

A Certificate of Proficiency for any of the Three Levels will be issued for a two-year period, after which a re-examination for the particular Level must be held prior to re-issuance of a new Certificate.

After twenty-five years of uninterrupted Proficiency at the Level Three, the PCOW may declare the Master Mason “Proficient in the Work for Life”, and have issued to him a Gold Certificate of Proficiency.

The Chairman of an examining committee for any of the above Levels must be a Level Three Certificate Mason.

The words, and meaning of the words, are part of every Brother’s experience as a Freemason. Whether that Freemason remembers all the words and in the same order, that Freemason remembers the meaning of the words – he has obligated himself to a Fraternity and becomes a Brother. Many strive to remember the words as originally repeated; many strive to live the meaning of the words and translate them into daily action. Those who strive to live the meaning of the words truly understand Freemasonry.

EDUCATION

Attendance at the annual Warden’s Retreat in 2015 was in line with previous years. Only a tiny percentage of Lodge Officers take advantage of the Program. The Committee is left to conclude that providing a means for “more light” isn’t really a priority for the majority. The goal of the Retreat is to “Improve ourselves in Masonry beyond the catechism and esoteric work”, and provide information to the Line Officers that will eventually occupy the East. The 2015 Retreat provided presentations on Leadership, Masonic trials, the new Secretary’s database, and the Grand Lodge website. Following these presentations, a short talk was provided by a relatively new Master Mason on various Masonic subjects.

The design was to illustrate how easy, as well as how important it is, to weave true Masonic Education into every meeting. Whether our attendees knew immediately or

realized later on, they received a Masonic Education and hopefully walked away with ideas and topics for further study and presentation.

Each Lodge receives, in their monthly mailing, the Masonic Educational Quiz. Originally intended as an addition to a Lodge Education Program, it now serves, in many instances, as the only Education presented to the Brethren. Many Lodges are not using the Quiz in any manner. Masonic Education is more than the history of the Fraternity, famous Masons or how to conduct the Ritual. Ritual for the sake of tradition is without value. It is valuable for the sake of enlightenment. Philosophy should be covered in Lodge, as it is our Masonic Philosophy that truly transforms men into Masons. Masonic Education should be a priority in each Lodge, for without it we are reduced to merely being a social club with a particular ritual for the Initiates.

Each District Deputy Grand Master is authorized to call one meeting of the District Lodge each year to be described as a Masonic Education Workshop. DDGMs are also charged by the Grand Master to conduct four Workshops in their respective District during their tenure. We want to encourage the membership to become more aware of the “why”, “what does it mean to me”, and “the reasons for the things we do and say.” Our aim is for each Worshipful Master to have a good first meeting after Installation, and each one after to be a better one, with the last being the one that gives him the satisfaction of success. Our goal is also to provide Masonic Education so that the meetings of our Lodges have substance and meaning.

The Grand Master also re-confirmed the Grand Lodge of Louisiana’s commitment to philanthropy, “the super-structure upon which Masonry is erected.” Relief Aid in a most generous manner was forwarded to the Grand Lodge of South Carolina following a massive flood that damaged many Mason’s homes and Lodge buildings.

The Masonic Learning Centre funded 30 Dyslexia classes around the State this year, resulting in several hundred young people being helped to overcome this misunderstood disability.

Louisiana Masons contributed generously to Louisiana Masons Special Olympics, the Grand Lodge Library, the Endowment Fund, and Youth – DeMolay and Rainbow.

A Committee was named to study the 19 Districts and recommend any re-alignment of Lodges within those Districts. The Grand Master ordered a change in the alignment of Districts, all in the New Orleans area due to the relocation, consolidation and merger of Lodges over the 10 years since Hurricane Katrina changed so much of the demographics. Additionally, several Lodges in South and Central Louisiana were moved in the interest of making travel distances between Districts more logical.

The Grand Master appointed a Committee to study the Regularity of Unrecognised Masonic Organisations. A great many “Grand Lodges” continue to appear in North America which does not meet the standards for Recognition. Further, most of these Grand Lodges make no effort to achieve Regularity or even establish a relationship with the regular Grand Lodges into whose Jurisdiction they have inserted themselves.

Predominant among them is the Regular Grand Lodge of England, also known as the Masonic High Council of the Ancient and Honorable Free and Accepted Masons, allegedly organized by the Old Constitutions granted by Prince Edwin of York in 926 AD, but claims its’ Regularity by an “Act of Regularity” issued in 2005. It has created Masonic Councils throughout the world, especially in the United States, drawing allegiance from many clandestine bodies seizing the opportunity to have an “Original Charter from England.” As of 2010, this clandestine body has established Grand Lodges in 11 States from New Jersey to California.

“In conclusion, Grand Master, the Committee respectfully urges education and internal awareness to better alert our Brotherhood to those profanes that attempt, without proper authority, to mimic our Ancient Order, and great vigilance in establishing relationships with new Grand Lodges that do not exist in the List of Lodges-Masonic, published by Pentagraph, in Bloomington, Illinois.”

MINNESOTA

161st Annual Communication, Brooklyn Park, Minnesota, April 2014.

150 Lodges

13,602 Members
(Loss -527)

M.W. Bro. David E. Olsen, Grand Master.

“Men make history and not the other way around. In periods when there is no leadership, society stands still. Progress occurs when courageous, skillful leaders seize the opportunity to change things for the better.”

The Grand Orator used this quote by Brother Harry S. Truman to emphasize the fact that the problems facing this Grand Lodge can be solved only by the leadership skills exhibited by elected members of a Lodge. Masonry cannot rely on others to help it grow. The members must make it happen themselves.

Not too many years ago, Grand Lodge expected a great influx of new members based on the popularity of the film ‘National Treasure:’ and the novel ‘The Lost Symbol.’ They were expected to raise public awareness of Masonry within society. A movie and a book. Both works of fiction. They were expected to inspire people to knock on Freemasonry’s door. It did not happen. The Craft itself, the Grand Orator contends, must go to work to make to make the Fraternity relevant.

Masonic apathy, a state of indifference and absence of motivation, is apparent in many forms. Lodge attendance for example, or the lack of it. We must ask what percentage of our membership attends Lodge. We must also be conscious of the condition of our Lodge buildings around the State and halt their slow deterioration. The largest indication of apathy is the willingness to accept our ever-decreasing membership. In Minnesota Masonry, the membership highpoint was 1960. There were 70,137 members. By 2012, that number had decreased to 13,589. In many cases, those who were lost simply “voted with their feet” and decided that they had not found what they were looking for in our Fraternity.

We must progress as an organization. While we have no need to change our Ritual or Philosophy, we must consider how we package Masonry and present it to others. We must ask ourselves if we are truly tolerant of the diversity in our society.

We are not talking about racial or economic issues. We are talking about the diversity of thinking that different ages and different members of our Fraternity display. Are you, in your Lodge, tolerant of the young and of different ways of thinking and of doing things? If there was ever a time that we need to pull together and be tolerant, that time is now. John Kenneth Galbraith once said, “All of the great leaders have had one characteristic in common; it was the willingness to confront unequivocally the major anxiety of their people in their time. This, and not much else, is the essence of leadership.”

What does this mean? I suggest to you that it is the willingness to ask hard questions. So, what is our major anxiety? What is it we fear the most? The list of our concerns is long. Can we can pay the bills at the Lodge? Can we find someone to run for leadership of the organization? Can we recruit new members? Can we keep them? In a more philosophic sense, we all have the same anxiety; will our gentle Craft become irrelevant and become a mere footnote in history?

I suggest that within our Fraternity and organization itself, are all the lessons we need to change the course of our Fraternity. To paraphrase Bill Clinton, “There is nothing wrong with Masonry that cannot be fixed by Masonry.”

The Grand Master commented on the positive aspects of activity within the Jurisdiction by praising the great works being done by so many Lodges; the conferring of Degrees; the many recognition awards; the outreach to the neediest in their communities. The goals of the Grand Master’s term are to emphasize Mentoring and Masonic

Education, and to strengthen Lodges through Lodge Officer training and to develop a membership strategy to lessen the number of members suspended for Non-Payment of Dues. There has been much success.

A thirteen part Mentoring program has been introduced for the following reasons: -

The new Master Masons will have:

- a. A better understanding of the history, culture and symbolism of Freemasonry.
- b. A deeper understanding and appreciation of the Ritual and its purposes.
- c. Greater understanding and engagement in our Masonic culture.
- d. Greater participation in Lodge events and connection to the Brothers.
- e. Greater capacity to make a contribution to the Lodge and its members.

The Lodge will benefit by:

- a. Brothers who understand Masonry's history, culture and mission.
- b. Brothers who understand and appreciate the Ritual.
- c. Brothers whom are better connected to the Brethren.
- d. Brothers who are more engaged in Lodge events.
- e. Brothers who are prepared to take leadership roles.
- f. A higher calibre Lodge that displays a higher level of fellowship, charitable outreach, and community leadership.
- g. Committed members who therefore retain their membership.

Masonry will therefore:

- a. Attract higher quality candidates.
- b. Have stronger healthier Lodges.
- c. Be more vital in the community.
- d. Have a greater charitable impact.
- e. Present a better image to the community.
- f. Be better positioned to adapt and thrive in the future.

A new Brother will provide feedback by completing a 3, 6 and 12 month survey, asking why he first became interested in Freemasonry; his impression of the experience of completing the three Degrees; the effectiveness of his Mentoring experience; his subsequent experiences in the Lodge, and any suggestions for improvement which would cause him to become more involved in Lodge activities.

The Mentoring program is reinforced by the Masonic Light Award Program. The Enrollment Form is available on the Grand Lodge Website. It is a Masonic Education program designed to build competency and Masonic knowledge in at least seven of eight areas through guided study and in Lodge activities. A Brother who completes seven categories will receive a personalized Award of Light Medallion from the Grand Master.

A condensed overview of the Areas of Education and subjects include: -

Leadership:

- a. Complete the Masonic Service Association Leadership Course.
- b. Write a review of a book about Masonic Leadership.

Masonic History:

- a. Research and write on the relationship of Freemasonry to American history or Minnesota history.
- b. Write a report on Masons who are currently in Government.

Ritual:

- a. Participate in a Degree.
- b. Write an interpretation of a lecture or some part of a Degree.

Masonic Philosophy and Symbolism:

- a. Read a book on Masonic Philosophy or Symbolism.
- b. Prepare and write an article on the relationship of Masonic principles to contemporary society.

Computers and Masonry on the Internet:

- a. Read a book on introduction to computers; then write a review of the book and give a report in Lodge.
- b. Use a program to develop, move, store, retrieve and print Masonic information.

Contemporary Enlightenment:

- a. Belong to and participate in an Educational Lodge in Minnesota
- b. Prepare and give a lecture to a non-Masonic group.

Mentoring:

- a. Participate in a candidate investigation.
- b. Lead a candidate through the Mentor program.

Lodge Administration:

- a. Complete the Minnesota Code Study correspondence course.
- b. Serve as an Installing Officer for a Lodge Installation.

Grand Lodge is also concerned about the number of Members being dropped for Non-Payment of Dues. The Membership Committee, after consultation with the Grand Master, established the NPD Program, which allows Constituent Lodges to consider reinstating a dropped Brother if he would pay the current year's Dues. Most Lodges have agreed, although there is some concern.

In summary, the Grand Orator asked the members to consider a couple of things. What does the number 211 mean to you? What could it mean? If I ask what 212 means, you would probably know that number; it is the boiling point of water. Think about it. Boiling water in the form of steam; started the Industrial Revolution. It was the energy of the change in our society; from a farming society to an industrial society. One degree makes all the difference. I ask you if you are willing to give one degree more to change our Fraternity.

We have examples in this room. Twenty-Five Lodges in our Jurisdiction showed net growth in 2013. While some would say that would be impossible for a Masonic Lodge, given the age of our membership, 25 such Lodges ignored the nay-sayers and grew. I respectfully suggest to all of you that it is within our power to change our future and to grow.

With that, I leave you with the words of Brother Winston Churchill who said: -
"If you have knowledge, let others light their candles with it."

INTRODUCTION OF
M.W. Bro. Bryant D. Webster
PGM / Grand Lodge of North Carolina
Guest Speaker
at the Grand Master's Banquet
Wednesday July 19, 2017

Grand Master, Distinguished Guests, Brethren All:

Bryant D. Webster
Past Grand Master of North Carolina, 2016

Bryant Webster was initiated, passed, and raised to the sublime degree of Master Mason in 1999 in West Asheville Lodge No. 665, in Asheville, NC. He was intimately involved in the negotiations and work which led to the merger of West Asheville Lodge with John A. Nichols Lodge No. 650. Bryant was the founding Junior Warden of the merged Nichols-West Asheville Lodge No. 650, a position he held for two years. He then served as Senior Warden of the merged lodge and was Master in 2005. After serving as Master, Bryant was elected Treasurer of Nichols West Asheville Lodge, a position in which he served through 2012.

Beginning in 2002, Bryant served on various boards, commissions and committees of the Grand Lodge of North Carolina, and in 2008, he was appointed to the progressive officer line of the Grand Lodge, being elevated through positions from Grand Steward through the line to serve ultimately as Grand Master of Masons in North Carolina in 2016. Bryant was a member of the steering committee which formed Veritas Lodge No. 769, the second traditional observance lodge in North Carolina.

After working legal jobs in in Durham and Asheville, in March, 2000, Bryant moved his practice to the firm of Stone & Christy in Black Mountain, NC, where he continues to practice today, concentrating his work in the resolution of land disputes, estate disputes and collections work.

When not involved in family or Masonic commitments, Bryant is an active member of Biltmore Church, where he and his wife teach a fourth grade Sunday School class. He also sits on the Executive Board of the Daniel Boone Council, Boy Scouts of America, which he has served as its legal counsel, and later as Council President, for a two year term ending November, 2013. Bryant also contributes extensive time to the Mountain Area Volunteer Lawyers Project, which provides free civil legal counsel to those within 125% of the Federal poverty level, assisting clients with basic legal needs.

In what free time exists, Bryant likes to run marathon and half marathon distance races and train for the same, much of them on forest trails, exercise, read, do yard work, and help manage a small herd of cattle on the farm where he and his family live. He also enjoys listening to Bluegrass music and spending time outdoors in the mountains.

M.W. Bro. Bryant D. Webster
Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of North Carolina
Guest Speaker
PGM

Most Worshipful, Right Worshipfuls, Very Worshipfuls, Honoured and Distinguished Guests, Brethren all:

Start with the Ending, It's the Best Way to Begin

Brethren,

Thank you for being here this evening, All of us have somewhere else we could be, probably somewhere else we need to be, tonight, but you chose to be here, and I thank you, because it is important that you are here.

It's important because the most important man in Masonry is here tonight, . . . And it's not me. It's you, and you, and you, and you, and you, and all of you. You are the most important man in Masonry. The Grand Master is not the most important man in Masonry. If something happens to him tomorrow, you have a new Grand Master instantly. But if something happens to you, who's going to fry the fish, bury the dead, coach the candidates, do the degree work, and turn on the lights and do the daily work of Freemasonry in Ontario?

Did you ever stop to think that that is why we celebrate Masonic Funerals? We stop everything we are doing, open and close lodge, and go acknowledge the fact that the most important man in Masonry has left us, and there is now a tear in the fabric that binds us together. So, thank you for having the most important man in Masonry here tonight.

Now, I have to give you a disclaimer about this talk. The first boss I ever had as an attorney came in one afternoon and asked me a question. I don't remember the question or the answer, but I must have been very direct in my response, because he said, "Boy, you are blunt!" I replied: "I prefer the term Forthright". He responded "No, I'm familiar with both terms and blunt is more accurate." So here is your warning: some of what I will say this evening is blunt. My Grand Master is here and he can tell you that the disclaimer is necessary. He's also a Methodist minister by trade, so Grand Master, please pray a silent prayer for me and for this audience. My Grand Chaplain last year, who was my most faithful traveling companion, always says he has two prayer lists: one "for" and one "against". Most Worshipful, please put us all on the "for" list.

So let's talk about the inevitable: death. The Great Light of Masonry tackles death head-on: in the very first book of Genesis, we cannot get past the fourth chapter before there is a murder - Cain kills Abel. In the fifth chapter we find:

All the days of Methuselah were nine hundred sixty and nine years: and he died
- Genesis 5:27

Has history taught us any lesson more clearly or convincingly than that death is inevitable? Even for Methuselah there would finally be a 970th year that he would not see: despite his unique longevity, his remarkable story would still reach its eventual conclusion. The only two people in the entire history of mankind that have evaded death -- Enoch and Elijah -- are perhaps most well-known for the very fact that they so unexpectedly escaped death's inescapable clutches.

We frantically attempt to entertain away, or dye away, or exercise away death's calling card: age. Yet, in the back of each of our minds, there is an ever-present awareness that our days are finite; it shows in the choices that we make regarding retirement, life insurance, and even mortgages (there's a reason why you've never heard of a hundred-year mortgage!).

The recognition of our own frailty is apparently one of the lessons that God would have us draw from our experience in this world: "Lord, make me to know mine end, and the measure of my days, what it is; that I may know how frail I am" (Psalm 39:4). This awareness should lead us to a serious contemplation of the meaning and purpose for our life.

What is the meaning of life? A question often asked, but rarely with any real desire to be confronted with the answer. - credit to the BBH daily devotional by Corona Labs for the 5 preceding paragraphs.

My theme as Grand Master was "Building a Stronger Foundation". How do we build a stronger foundation? There is a singer-songwriter from the Asheville area by the name of David Wilcox. I heard one of his songs on the radio, entitled "Start with the ending" and I thought; now that's an interesting concept.

The background of the song is that he met his wife and on their first date he recounted all of his previous relationship failures and they agreed it would have been a total disaster for them to ever get involved. But, with the pressure of a potential relationship off, they laughed and had so much fun that they dated again, and again, and formed a happy and successful marriage. The ending was the foundation.

In a longer version of the song, he contemplates the idea of living our lives backward - die first and get it out of the way, then enjoy retirement, then work, transition into jobs with less and less responsibility, then volunteer, then college, school, more and more basic learning, then stop talking, and finally transition out as a glimmer in someone's eye.

Isn't this what we teach in Masonry? From the first time you enter a Masonic Lodge we start telling you about your death. We give you a lambskin and tell you it can be put upon your coffin and we instruct you to live your life so that when you die you will be approved by the Great Architect of the Universe. In the Second Degree we make much of the slaughter of the Ephramites. In the Third Degree, we symbolically kill and resurrect the candidate. That symbolic death is the cornerstone for building a stronger foundation. We start with the ending; it's the best way to begin.

A line in the David Wilcox song says "When there's no pretending, the truth is safe to say, start with the ending get it out of the way." So, let's start with the bad news: There is no way out! Not one of us will get off this planet alive. Period. We are all going to die - every one of us. Many of us will get old and feeble before we die. So, let's stop pretending and start with the ending. We must build a stronger foundation, for ourselves, and for our families.

Start with the ending it's the best place to begin. The Country Singer Tim McGraw had a song "Live like you were dying", in which, faced with death, the songwriter vows to go sky diving, go Rocky Mountain climbing, go 2.7 seconds on a bull named Fumanchu. The point is, dying first, facing death, liberates us to be all we can be. When you lay death as the foundation, and you know it is inescapable, then you can aspire to your potential.

We have the working tools. We have a twenty-four inch gauge for time management. We have a common gavel for knocking off the rough edges, for eliminating our vices and superfluities.

We have a plumb, to teach us to walk uprightly. We have a square, to teach us how to evaluate our actions and treat others, and we have level to show us that we are all - every single one of us, equal in God's sight.

Lest the point escape us, that means all, whether black or white or gay or straight or bisexual or transgender or Hindu or Muslim or Jewish or Jehovah Witness or Mormon or Baha'i. All means all, without exception, and if we are to survive as a fraternity, we must get our arms around this.

We have a trowel to spread the cement that unites us - but how often do we say or do things that divide us instead. How much difference do tools make if left in the tool box? So, it is time for each of us to really get out our own tools, and examine our lives, and build a stronger foundation. Nobody can make you different but you. Nobody can make your lodge different but you.

We must face the reality that while we may be good men, we can be better, and only by KNOCKING OFF THE ROUGH EDGES. It is not easy or pretty. There's an old Bluegrass song that says "I've got rough edges all over me and I can't change, not even for you. You can chisel and mold, but I'm brittle as coal, rough edges won't ever be smooth." That may be true, but they can be knocked away and improved. If we do this hard work, if we really improve ourselves in Masonry, our wives, our families, our co-workers, our communities, even our pets, will notice, and they will gain a favorable impression of the institution of Masonry. As we transform ourselves, we will transform Masonry and our communities and our World. We cannot do this urgently enough.

Our Masonry speaks directly to this. We reference the sprig of acacia which represents that evergreen or regenerative part of man which is our essence and which survives the grave.

In the 1948 short musical segment "Johnny Appleseed", Walt Disney showed us that legendary character John Chapman, who, with the help of a guardian angel, traveled throughout the American west planting apple trees and building community around them. When his life ends, Johnny's guardian angel summons him and his spirit separates and leaves his body behind. As this happens, Johnny looks back and sees his body beneath an apple tree and asks the angel "Who's that?" The angel replies "Aw, that's just your husk Johnny, that's just your husk."

Brethren, we need not be concerned with our husks. We need be concerned with how we nurture and improve that essential part represented by the sprig of acacia.

The challenge is this: we must look ourselves in the eye, determine who we are, who we want to be, and how we are going to get there. I think it sounds like this:

I'm starting with the man in the mirror.

I'm asking him to change his ways.

And no message could have been any clearer, if you want to make the world a better place, you've got to look at yourself and then make a CHANGE.

Say that with me Brethren.

I'm starting with the man in the mirror.

I'm asking him to change his ways.

And no message could have been any clearer, if you want to make the world a better place, you've got to look at yourself and then make a CHANGE.

SO MAY IT ALWAYS BE.

Thank you.

Deputy Grand Master's Thanks to M.W. Bro. Bryant D. Webster

To the Most Worshipful the Grand Master, Officers and Members of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario.

M.W.Sir:

It is my duty and truly an honour for me to respond to your key note address to our Grand Lodge.

You create instant interest with the presentation of the title of your talk, "Start with the Ending, It's the Best way to end".

You pointed out to us who the most important person was here tonight and I noticed a few Grand Masters appear uneasy with your answer however to most of us your thought appeared to be forth right.

From the recognition of our own frailty to the start of the ending with a reminder to live like you were dying, the message was we have the working tools, to accept all, in God's sight.

Your talk concluded with a challenge to ask the man in the mirror to change his ways because if you want the world to be a better place, you've got to look at yourself and then make a change.

In closing I am sure the Brethren assembled here tonight in this place found your talk, informative, and educational may I say Sir Bold

Thank you and So May It Always Be.

**SUMMARY REPORTS OF THE
DISTRICT DEPUTY GRAND MASTERS 2016 – 2017**

Algoma District – 9 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Neil A. Lundberg

How do I sum up this Year? It has been such an honour to be the representative of the Grand Master for the Algoma District. The Banquet that we held in his honour was greatly attended by many distant members of this vast Northern region. The District Secretary and I have had great support from all the senior Brethren whenever we have needed it and I would like to thank them at this time. R.W. Bro. Robbie Manz worked diligently at my side and helped me in more ways than I could have imagined to make, this a great year.

On our visits this year we presented many 50 & 60 year pins. We also presented some 25 year Past Master pins. I was happy to do this as many of those presented have become great friends as well as great Brothers over the years. All of the Official visits and Installations that were held in the District had great attendance from visiting Lodges, and the food and Brotherly love exuded from these meetings. We held a District Divine Service at St. Paul's Anglican Church in April where I gave a short talk on Masonry. The Lodges in the District are experiencing either small growth or few losses due to attrition. The Worshipful Masters and Brethren are using most of the Grand Lodge programs that will assist them in their endeavors.

I found the visits to the outlying regions of the District to be very welcoming and also very informative. Although five Lodges are in the city of Thunder Bay, the other three require some distance to be travelled. There was a fourth Lodge, but diminishing resources in the forestry and mining sectors caused the decline in population and members to that Lodge. Sadly, it became dark in the summer of 2016. One Lodge about 160 kms away has picked up some of the members.

I feel confident that Algoma District is doing all the right things to maintain a vibrant Masonic community, and I look forward to handing the reigns over to the next D.D.G.M. elect.

Algoma East – 8 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Rodney N. Caughill

Holding the office of District Deputy Grand Master has been a personal goal for many years. I had promised myself that I would wait until retirement so, better to enjoy the duties of that office. This past year has exceeded my expectations and I feel it has greatly contributed to my Masonic career.

Taking the required courses in order to be eligible for election was, in itself, a challenge but an enlightening one. It allowed me to represent Grand Lodge at the District level with confidence and I trust a level headed approach to questions and issues.

During this past year, I was witness to initiations, passing and raising as well as proving. In each and every case, the degrees were well done, candidates well prepared and the ritual delivered with care and respect. One of the initiates was indeed a very young man and caused more than one of us to want to confirm his age of at least 21 years. He was but barely. He was also 2nd generation in that Lodge and was escorted by his father (who became his brother) during that evening. I also had the privilege to present a 60 year pin to a member.

My first duty as DDGM was to present the certificate for achieving the Cornerstone designation to one of the Lodges but further to that, 2 more Lodges in the District have now registered to begin this same process.

Sadly, we had several deaths in this past year, but even there, the Masonic Memorial Services have been well done and the families remarked about the way we performed our Service with dignity and respect for the departed Brother. To my mind, this too was a success.

Having the privilege to host the Grand Masters Reception in “my year”, has been another highlight and as it came in mid-May, it has basically put the finishing touch on my term.

During my travels to the various Lodges, I made many new friends and even met men who knew my father and grandfather. I can honestly say that I have enjoyed every moment of this past year and would like to thank all of the Lodges in the District as well as Grand Lodge for all of the support and guidance. I would be extremely remiss if I did not also thank W. Bro. Ryan Crowle, the District Secretary, for all of his hard work and dedication (not to mention his organizational abilities). Without a man such as he in that position, the role as DDGM would be much more challenging.

Masonry is alive and well in Algoma East and I wish my successor all the best in his term and pledge my support in whatever capacity is requested.

Brant District – 13 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Fred Sebring

Serving this term as the Grand Master's representative in Brant District was the greatest experience in my Masonic journey.

The brethren of the district demonstrated respect for the office of DDGM in every way.

Many invitations were offered for social events and we enjoyed the company of the brethren and their partners.

Most of the Work was performed well. In some cases, newer Masons were involved and their Work was performed to the highest standard. Of course we all strive for personal improvement as part of our effort to make good men better.

We lost 27 respected members of our Craft and participated in many Masonic Memorial Services at the request of the families. 25 new members were initiated. Five 50 year pins were presented.

A number of meetings included Masonic Education as part of the program.

We have a few brethren taking College courses. Some have indicated a desire to qualify themselves for the office of DDGM. To that end, they're active in the Masters, Past Masters and Wardens Association of Brant District. This is an expectation in our District for aspirants, along with serving as a Committee Chairman.

R.W. Bro. Gordon Crutcher provided a Lodge of Instruction in the Fall which the brethren found very informative. We attended Oak Branch Lodge in Innerkip where R.W. Bro. Charles Woods made a presentation on Leadership Development. Two of our aspiring DDGM's attended.

Our MPMWA offered their expertise in arranging two receptions. In the Fall we celebrated 100 years as a District and in June we celebrated the 150th year of Scotland Lodge No.193. Both the Grand Master and Mrs. Barbara Green joined us on those occasions.

The brethren generously supported the Grand Master's charity of choice, Prostate Hope and were recognized for their contributions.

I was fortunate to have travelling companions to 15 other Districts, where we were welcomed warmly and introduced to many brethren. My fellow DDGM's were very gracious hosts and on many occasions visited our District.

Time passes so quickly and R.W. Bro. Michel Hodgson has assumed the duties of DDGM. I wish him well.

I offer my thanks and appreciation to V.W. Bro. Arrindell, District Secretary for his hard work and dedication to the Craft. I also thank the brethren of Brant Masonic District for the opportunity to serve as DDGM.

Bruce District – 12 Lodges**R.W. Bro. James O. Wark**

Bruce District has had another active and fun year. Although our overall membership numbers will have decreased, most of the Lodges were able to keep busy with some degree work. One of the challenges we face is getting, and keeping, our new members active in their Lodges and the District.

A definite highlight was the number of 25 and 50 year service pins, as well as three 60 year, and one 70 year pin. These Masons should serve as an inspiration to us all.

In addition to the fall Lodge of Instruction, Bruce hosted its first Officer Progression workshop. Although not as well attended as I had hoped, it proved to be a valuable evening for those who did attend.

The District Divine Service was extremely well planned by the District Chaplain, and so well received by those who made the effort to attend.

The District Chairmen were active this year with special mention made to the Cornerstone, F2F, Masonic Foundation, and Masonic Education committees. These Chairmen made several presentations to the Lodges on regular meeting nights. I am happy to report that one new Lodge has enrolled in the Cornerstone program in addition to those who had previously done so. I firmly believe that this is a program that every Lodge needs to be a part of.

I would like to thank all of the Brethren who made our Grand Master's reception such a wonderful event.

As proud as I am of this District, some of our Lodges are going to face a difficult future. Without Initiations, in the next decade some Lodges will be discussing Darkness. The Brethren of Bruce will have some uneasy days ahead but need to self-determine how important our Fraternity is to our local communities.

Being the D.D.G.M. of this District has been even more rewarding than I expected. Having known the Grand Master as a personal friend for many years, it was a great honour to represent him. To my Brethren of Bruce District, I wish you all the best, and I am very proud to have represented you as your D.D.G.M.

Chatham District – 10 Lodges**R.W. Bro. David J. Robert**

This year has been the highlight of my Masonic career and I thank the brethren of Chatham District for their support. The hospitality and cooperation that I have been afforded will forever be remembered. Many thanks go to the Past Grand Lodge officers and senior members of the District that have provided me with heartfelt guidance and impartial counsel when asked.

Chatham District was fortunate to host the Grand Master and his entourage on two occasions this year. The first visit was for the amalgamation of Highgate Lodge No. 336 and Howard Lodge No. 391 into the New Hiram Lodge No. 336 located in Ridgetown. Thanks to the brethren of both lodges for the extremely smooth and seamless transition which has proved to be a natural fit for both lodges. Chatham District hosted the Grand Master's Reception which went smooth as silk. R.W. Bro. Robbie McNaughton and his team organized a great evening. Participation was up from previous years. I have sometimes heard that Masons feel that Grand Lodge sometimes appears indifferent to the plight of our smaller lodges. It was of particular note that the Grand Master spoke of those challenges faced by lodges in rural settings and he set those concerns to rest. Chatham District thanks him for his and Grand Lodge's support and reaffirmation that we are an integral part of our communities and of the Grand Jurisdiction.

My theme for this year was "Getting back to the Basics of Freemasonry". I delved into the importance and need of looking after our senior or ailing brethren. Masonic support must be unwavering for the Canadian Blood Services and our active participation. Some of our younger brethren are not aware of our duty and importance to attend all Masonic funeral services. It is not only to honour the departed brother but also his family, friends and the

community in general. I tried to convey the need to travel both within and without our districts. There are no shortages of different twists and peculiar customs within the ritual of each and every lodge and also afforded me the privilege of meeting some really nice Masons.

The Chatham District Management Committee is functioning well. The appointed chairmen have been diligent in providing timely reports. District assessments regarding funding are always a bone of contention but we have had open and frank discussions about what is or is not sustainable. A vote is pending after I submit this report. District wide communications have been a sore spot with privacy issues frequently cited. Rather than working at the individual level, the CDMC will be asked to communicate information at the lodge secretary level where brethren expressed more widespread acceptance.

The District Divine Service saw a record number of Masons and their families in attendance. The service was followed by a ladies event hosted by Parthenon No. 267 which I hope will evolve into a district wide participation.

Fortunately, there have been fewer funerals and more initiations than in an average year. The quality of the ritual in all lodges is exemplary. One thing I did often hear is the need for more Masonic Education. This is something the more senior members take for granted. Newer members need that education if we expect them to become actively involved. I have had the honour of presenting many 25, 50 and three 60 year pins. The tales of those long serving members will be indelibly imprinted in my mind.

I cannot fail to acknowledge the zeal of the District chairmen and especially, W. Bro. Norris Reynolds the District Secretary, in diligently performing their allotted assignments. Finally, I have to give credit to the patience of my wife, Sue, who has learned to ask what night will you be home instead of which nights will you be gone.

Eastern District – 12 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Andrew Ciastek

I wish to thank the members of Eastern District for proposing me as their candidate and to the Grand Master for confirming my appointment as DDGM of Eastern District for 2016-17 Masonic Year.

This has been a successful year for Lodges of Eastern District. Although one DDOV had to be rescheduled due to inclement weather, all Lodges met the requirements per the constitution. The banquets and fellowship made these events even more satisfying for our brethren.

Sadly, our District lost 18 brethren to the Grand Lodge Above, of which 2 were R.W. Brothers and three were V.W. Brothers. Our district membership stands at 557. We struggle to reverse the membership decline by initiating a number of new candidates, which unfortunately cannot keep pace with member losses, due to deaths, demits, and suspensions. The overall health of the 12 lodges of Eastern District is strong. The District lodges are stable financially and membership. We must focus on membership renewal, improving ritual work and implementing programs of interest to their members and their community, especially to attract new applicants.

As an observation, I note a strong bond between Russell Lodge and Lodges in Eastern District. Their member base, being rural, is more akin to the membership of Eastern District and future discussions may prove it may be in the interest of the Grand Lodge to further address District re-organization and possibly migrate this lodge to Eastern District.

Lodge and District events encourage members to come out and give a public face to Freemasonry. With increasing member enthusiasm, we expect to attract more like-minded individuals to our craft. New candidates are key to addressing the pervasive use of Past Masters in the Officer line-up. The key to survival is membership renewal.

Essex Country – 14 Lodges**R.W. Bro. Daniel W. Chamney**

This is the first year for the newly merged Essex County District and my main goal this year was to continue the work of my predecessors towards unifying the newly amalgamated District. With that in mind, I visited each Lodge at least three times and attended as many Lodge social events as my wife and I could fit into our schedule. We also attended eight Grand Master's receptions and had the pleasure of taking part in the 'Pie Olympics' at the Sarnia District Ladies Night. During my Lodge visits I was privileged to take part in the presentation of several 50 and 60 year service pins and I was especially honoured to participate in the presentation of one 70 year service pin.

District Events this year included two Masonichip Foundation of Ontario programs, a District Memorial Service at the Masonic War Memorial, The Grand Master's Reception, a District Fish Fry and a District Divine Service.

Unfortunately, my first duty this year was attending a memorial Service for a young sitting Master, he having passed away on my first day in office. This year also saw the loss of several fine Masons, including three past DDGMs.

Although some events were very well attended, overall attendance at District Installations and Official Visits was down this year. Older members are stepping back from attendance due to age and infirmity at a faster rate than younger members are able to step in and replace them. I should note that the decrease in attendance has not been followed by a decrease in the quality of ritual performance as most lodges now have a solid core of neighbouring lodge members willing to give a hand when needed.

Condition of Masonry Committee reports, filed after my Official Visits, were very helpful. Several Lodges were rated green and the rest were given details instruction as to which Grand Lodge Committees are available to help them improve.

For myself, a special highlight to the year was being able to serve as DDGM at the same time as my nephew, Keith Heydon, the DDGM for North Huron District.

Frontenac District – 14 Lodges**R.W. Bro. Jeffrey M. Gatcke**

I am deeply grateful for the brethren of Frontenac District to be able to provide me with the opportunity to serve as our representative for our Grand Master, M.W. Bro. John C. Green within this beautiful area of the province. Frontenac District like many areas of the province have many thriving lodges that continue to initiate new candidates, participate in Grand Lodge programs and keep active within their communities. These lodges continue to come up with new ideas to keep brethren engaged and active in the craft such as Masonic trivia night, Chilifest, table lodges and ladies nights.

Frontenac District was fortunate this past year to host again our GSW and GJW, who along with the President and Vice-President of our Masonic Association of Frontenac District presented unique degree teams involving both the Junior and Senior Wardens of our lodges. These evenings are always a highlight of the year and this past year proved to be no exception.

All of the Official Visits of the lodges have been well received, many included ritual work as part of the evening as requested by myself and have been well attended from brethren throughout the district. Each lodge has its unique strengths and opportunities and together we are all striving to obtain a higher degree of proficiency. As District Secretary, W. Bro. John Bezant has performed his work with the utmost enthusiasm and professionalism and I would like to commend him for his efforts.

The brethren of Frontenac District have generously supported both Prostate Hope the Grand Master's project as our own as well as a more local request for benevolence from a young Past Master and his family. The outpouring of support from brethren of Frontenac District make me very proud to be a mason and to have served the district in this capacity.

Georgian North District – 11 Lodges**R.W. Bro. Terry W. Kirk**

Georgian North District consists of 11 Lodges spread throughout the County of Simcoe and the District of Parry Sound. They are Manito Lodge No. 90, Orillia Lodge No. 192, Beaver Lodge No. 234, Bayport Lodge No. 249, Northern Light Lodge No. 266, Huronia Lodge No. 348, Coronation Lodge No. 466, Karnak Lodge No. 492, Equity Lodge No. 659, Twin Lakes Lodge No. 718 and Goodfellows Lodge U.D.

I attended 7 of 9 Masonic Funerals within the District. I thank the Brethren of the District for their attendance at those services.

The Lodges of the District are active and doing degree work for the most part very well. The Officers and Brethren involved in the degree work are putting their best effort forward with the candidate and the lodge in mind.

Two Lodges of Instruction were held, both well attended. The first was held in Barrie the second has held in Orillia.

The reception of the Grand Master was held in Orillia in April for both Georgian North and South District and was very well attended, thanks to the dedication of the Reception Committee.

A Divine Service has held in MacTier at All Saints Anglican Church by the District Chaplain R.W. Bro. David Hardie, a good number of Brethren and family attended.

The Annual Georgian North South Golf Tournament was held at Marlwood Golf Course in Wasaga Beach.

The District Charity, Camp Huronda has meet the goal of \$6500.00 which will sponsor children of the area for a stay at a summer camp in the Huntsville area. The Grand Master's Charity Prostrate Hope was also well supported.

In conclusion I wish to thank W. Bro. Allan A. Weir, the District Secretary for his dedication and assistance throughout the year. His Masonic and administrative skills are exceptional. I would also like to thank my wife Kathryn for her support and understanding these last 12 months, she and the Brethren of the District and the Masonic Committees and Chairmen are the reason for a successful year.

It has been a pleasure and an honour to have represented the Grand Master in the Georgian North District in the year 2016-17.

Georgian South District – 10 Lodges**R.W. Bro. Phillip J. Laundry**

As my year draws to a close, I think back to all the positives of the year; the Official Visits, the Installations, Christmas parties and Lady's Teas, fundraising events and birthdays, pin presentations and special achievements, seeing all my brothers and friends, sitting beside some wonderful Grand Lodge and Past Grand Lodge officers in so many lodges throughout the district and beyond, the special events shared with family and friends, and traveling with my father as the District Secretary; I will cherish these memories forever.

I'm happy to see so many young men joining the Craft, and with the establishment of the Simcoe Grey York Chapter of DeMolay, this should support and strengthen the message of making good men better. And while I would like to say all is well in Georgian South District, I believe the lodges and the brethren are at a crossroads. Time and time again, I hear about everyone's busy lives, and I see this is reflected in the low numbers visiting and supporting the lodges and events throughout the district. However, what I find even more troubling is that those who are doing the most visiting are the same fellows time and time again. This makes me think of the 80/20 rule, with 80% of people letting 20% do all the work. And unfortunately, the bulk of those brethren doing the visiting are older brethren, and I wonder what will happen when these fellows are no longer around to visit?

Throughout the year I have spoken to the brethren about the need to support one another, that many hands make light work, and how when a lodge supports the other lodges, it will be reciprocated. Georgian South District has so many wonderful brethren, and it is my hope that this message can be continued to be shared. There are those lodges in the district

whom I have my concerns about, which I have shared in my L3 reports, and I have gently spoken with the Past Masters and pillars of these lodges, who also seem to share my concerns. I will continue to strive to support the brethren and the lodges of Georgian South District, even long after my term as District Deputy Grand Master is over, as I do not believe simple lip service would do any justice for these wonderful lodges. I thank the Grand Lodge, my fellow Grand Lodge officers and the Past Grand Lodge Officers for their never ending support throughout the year; when I found that I was stuck, there was always a hand to help me over the obstacle.

Grey District – 12 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Robert V. Rounding

It has been a privilege and a pleasure to represent Grand Lodge in Grey District for 2016-2017.

My goal this year was to have a strong contingent of District Committee Chairman dedicated to each of their functions. With that in mind it also strengthened our Grey District PM's, M's, W's and D's Assoc. tremendously and brought all of our 12 lodges much closer together.

With the hard work of so many people, what I have seen in each lodge this year is something special. Either programs existing or starting up, such as Masonichip Foundation of Ontario Programs, Brother 2 Brother Programs, Friend 2 Friend Programs, Mentor Programs, Long Range Programs, and the list goes on.

The District once again worked tirelessly towards another hefty donation to the Grand Masters project Prostate Hope.

It was overwhelming to me the continued support of brothers attending Official Visits. It was fantastic.

All our lodges participated in an Open House Saturday, June 3, 2017 with tremendous success. Some had BBQ's, some coffee and treats, some even had banners erected celebrating Grand Lodges 300th anniversary.

Visitation in Grey District has been ever increasing. It's this kind of thing that brings our lodges closer together.

It is my belief that the successful year was achieved by the District Committee Chairmen and a strong contingent of support for the three functions held by Grey District Past Masters Assoc. which are the District Curling Bonspiel, The Grand Masters Banquet (and for the first time ladies invited) and the District Golf Tournament. Once again, each function was very successful.

I would like to thank all Worshipful Masters of Grey District for their hard work and dedication to their respective lodges. Their strong leadership has gone beyond their own walls to strengthen the District as a whole. Much appreciated.

I would also like to offer my thanks and gratitude to our District Secretary W. Bro. Paul Nancekivell for his unbelievable strong work ethic, hard work, and also for his friendship and guidance. Without your never ending support this would never have been such a successful year.

I would also like to thank the District Chairmen of each of their Committees because we are now leaving the District a better place.

I cannot forget my travelling companions, for if not for them, each night would not have been as enjoyable.

And last but certainly not the least, thank you Heather for going the distance with me and allowing me to spend this time as DDGM of Grey District, a truly remarkable District. I am forever grateful. Thank you for your love and support.

Hamilton District A – 14 Lodges**R.W. Bro. R. Larry Hinkley**

I took to heart the many early suggestions to be yourself” To Relax and enjoy your term as DDGM”.

I chose to do that by focusing my attention on the Spirit of Freemasonry, wanting the Brethren of the district to be happy and communicate that happiness to others.

The ever increasing focus on statistics, membership, and our attention to getting the next course under our belt is all well and good, and of course necessary. But what of our Masonic Spirit, that silken tie that bends us together.

My talks were based on Masonic Philosophy, Leaders, Literature and our Individual conduct with the emphases on our love of one another and the strength of that relationship and; the duty we owe to the Ancient Charges.

The creation of a District Logo, the fantastic support for Prostate Hope, the book give away at each O.V., the Long kitchen apron for each J.W. were all well received, creating a friendly atmosphere.

I encouraged the brethren to make use of their G.L. Website, to become educated via the College of Freemasonry, all the while keeping the Spirit of Freemasonry at the forefront of their thoughts.

Brethren, the pages of these proceedings are full of Statistical information and reports; from the G.M.’s address, to reports on Technical knowledge, Social media policy, Masonic chip, 300th Anniversary, Lodges, Addresses from G.M.’s around the world, (read these for a perspective), and of course DDGM District reports, Etc.

My journey throughout the district has been extremely fulfilling, gratifying and rewarding. I said at my home coming that the G. M. Installed me, but he could not have done so had The Brethren of Beach Lodge No. 639 not first allowed me to be their representative candidate in the first place. I will forever be in their debt, Thank You.

I Remain your Friend and Brother.

Hamilton District B – 11 Lodges**R.W. Bro. Ray A. Young**

I would like to thank the Brethren of Hamilton Masonic District B for the opportunity and privilege to serve Freemasonry in the capacity as their DDGM 2016 - 2017. Their support of the District Team and myself was outstanding. This year I challenged the lodges in the District to “Value the Past, Engage the Present and Think Differently”.

One of the District Goals this year was for our lodges to demonstrate our Masonic values within our community, to become more community centric. **“To present a face to the community, so to speak”**. By our Community Benevolence endeavors and the 300th Anniversary celebrations I believe we as a District have accomplished that goal.

The lodges in the District are healthy however the ever-present challenge of attracting and retaining new members persists. I presented talks on *Change, Raising the Alarm, Rebranding Ourselves, Dedication thru Education, In Search of Leadership, Dare to be Different, In Search of the Mystic Tie, Membership Retention, The Ritual, The Qualities of Great Leadership and My Thoughts on the Future of Freemasonry*. It is my hope that the material delivered would entice and challenge the Brethren.

All lodges in Hamilton Masonic District B are participating in the Cornerstone Project and we are well on our way for all our lodges obtaining their Cornerstone designation.

I am pleased to report that fraternal visitation and Fellowship is alive and well throughout the District especially at my Official Visits.

Ritual work in the lodges is acceptable, but I encourage the lodges like Long Range Planning for Lodge Management, succession planning for Ritual work must also be enacted.

Our District Charity this year was Prostate Hope and our fund raisers surpassed our goal for Prostate Cancer Research.

Finally, I would like to acknowledge the District Team for their dedication, knowledge

and commitment while fulfilling their roles and executing their responsibilities. Especially the District Secretary who was my sounding board and who kept the District and I organized.

Hamilton District C – 13 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Craig L. Knapman

It is with pleasure that I submit this “snapshot” summary of the term. It has been a great year for us in Hamilton Masonic District ‘C’.

Our theme, “As our purpose in Masonry is to make good men better, our focus this year is to bring out the best in ourselves, thereby bringing out the best in others”, has served us well.

It has been a great year on all fronts including Lodge Meetings, festive boards, social events, sitting in on a number of committees, and the collective efforts of the Brethren with fundraising. The District was presented with a beautiful plaque in honour of its contributions in support of Prostate Hope, the charity of Hamilton District ‘C’ and, of course, the Grand Master’s charity.

We have said many times throughout the year that managing The District is a “team sport” and The Hamilton District ‘C’ Team was fantastic including the chairman, committee members, special events committees, the Worshipful Masters and Lodge Officers and the Brethren all.

I also want to thank Grand Lodge for always being there with it’s support including the Ladies at the front desk. We have members all over the Province but these Ladies are just an email or a phone call away and always happy to assist.

It has been extra special to be in this position for the 300th Anniversary of The United Grand Lodge of England as well as the 150th Anniversary of our great country, Canada. We are most fortunate here in Hamilton to have Grand Lodge around the corner as well as our iconic Scottish Rite facility where the District played a major role in participating in the June 3 Open House Day.

I’ve been asked many times what my highlight for the year was. The answer is an easy one. It was at my Homecoming at Valley Lodge in February where, my Son Brendan who is a Past Master of Valley Lodge No. 100 and now lives in Alberta, completely shocked me by coming out of nowhere to lead the Brethren in Grand Honours. Thank you, thank you, thank you to the four Brethren who orchestrated that surprise of a lifetime.

I also want to express special thanks the Brethren of Valley Lodge No. 100 for giving me the great honour to serve the District, along with to my two advisors, R.W. Bro. Geoffrey S. Allan and R.W. Bro. William R. Millar and extra special thanks to District Secretary, W. Bro. Lance R. Mullett who’s support went beyond what words can express.

I ask you to thank your Ladies for their support and understanding of our gentle Craft.

Brethren, I look forward to becoming even closer to all you as we grow together.

After 300 years, even greater times lie ahead for Masonry and for Hamilton Masonic District ‘C’.

Thanks to those of District ‘C’, this year’s amazing team, and the incoming team we leave the District in good hands moving forward.

It has truly been an honour representing you at Grand Lodge.

Until we meet again may the GAOTU hold you in the palm of his hands.

London East District – 13 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Michael R. Graystone

The past year as DDGM flew by and I am sorry that it is coming to an end. The support I received from all the lodges in both London East and West was incredible. I must thank all the District Committee Chairman that did a great job this year, and for their support. I was very happy to see no ‘Book of the Work’ open in any lodge during a fraternal visit, degree or Installation. I am proud of the lodge officers working hard on improving their Ritual for the

benefit of the lodge and more importantly the candidates.

The District Committees held 2 workshops and 2 Orientation that were well attended by the London lodges and some surrounding lodges. We had four more lodges send in their Letters of Intent to become Cornerstone Lodges. This shows a growing desire to improve our lodges and district. A committee member made presentation to 9 of the London East lodges to explain the connection of the different bodies in Masonry and more importantly the purpose of the Masonic Foundation of Ontario. This helped boost the money raised for Prostate Hope from our District. The Travelling Gavel was won this year, 8 out of a possible 12 times by St Johns 20, congratulations to the WM and members. The Strategic planning committee got the District Guidelines approved in October after months of hard work. The masons of London once again showed up in great numbers at several Remembrance Day service around London, and also at the London Districts Combined Divine Service. Our brethren showed support again for the Demolay with visits and continued support of their Spaghetti Dinner and Pancake Breakfast.

There is no one highlight of the year as I had so many great experience at each lodge throughout the year. It has been my distinct pleasure and honour to have the opportunity to serve the brethren of the London East District.

London West District – 11 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Jeffrey E. Davidson

It has been an honour and a privilege to be the Grand Master's representative and the London West District's DDGM. It is an experience that has been both humbling and rewarding. It has been a year that has given me satisfaction and personal self-growth. It has allowed me to make lifelong friendships and memories.

Visitations around the district to the various lodges were very fulfilling, and the attendance at Official Visits was very encouraging. There are several lodges that are viable today that will require new membership in the not so near future. In this day and age of declining memberships and/or inactive members, many lodges are forced to recycle Past Masters and past officers on a more frequent basis to fill offices.

At the beginning of my term, I had the honour of presenting Grand Lodge Regalia to V.W. Bro. Blake Kennedy and V.W. Bro. Nick Makinson who were appointed Grand Stewards. Both brethren were a familiar sight at Official Visits and District Events.

September was a particularly special month for me as DDGM, as my mother lodge (St. John's 209a) and our sister lodge (St. John's 20) celebrated 175 years of masonry. Both lodges had spent many months planning for this celebration that was highlighted with the conferral of a traditional Irish Third Degree, which both lodges are renowned for and the attendance of the Grand Master himself.

December in both London Districts is a busy time of year, as this is traditionally when lodge installations take place. The London West District saw 9 new Worshipful Masters Installed and 2 sitting Worshipful Masters that were reinstalled.

The London Districts enjoyed the Spring months by hosting a Combined District Ladies Night and a Grand Masters Reception. Both events proved to be equally successful.

My last Official Visit was special in a couple of ways. First, it was my Official Visit to my mother lodge and second, I was introduced by my Uncle, V.W. Bro. D. Alan Davidson (Past Grand Organist).

Doric Lodge No. 289 sold their building mid-way through the year and relocated to a new location. On June 14th, I had the opportunity along with the Grand Master and members of Grand Lodge to take part in the consecration of their new location.

I would like to thank all the Brethren for their continued confidence, encouragement and support. In particular, a special thank you to the District Secretary, W. Bro. Curtis Ramsey, for his invaluable assistance and a job well done. Finally, I would like to thank my wife Christine and family for their support. Without it, I would have never been able to achieve success in this office.

Niagara District A – 15 Lodges**R.W. Bro. Thomas A. Wills**

Through the dedication of many hard working Masons in Niagara A District, our fifteen lodges are working at a good level of ritual and administration. While there are some lodges that have membership and officer challenges, most lodges are financially sound. I have had the pleasure of attending many meetings in this district besides the official visits, and am very much encouraged to see the number of younger men joining the Craft and active in their lodges. This bodes well for the future of Masonry. I have stressed the importance of looking after these new candidates and allowing their growth, even if it does not agree with our "entrenched lodge traditions".

This year I have had the good fortune of one of the best attended combined Niagara District A & B Divine Service under the leadership of Bro. Sheldon Kofsky. It was a non-denominational service held in a century barn in a local Conservation area and was met with much enthusiasm. A new tradition has begun. We also saw three lodges (two different districts) in the township of West Lincoln hold a historical meeting with all three lodges. I have also recommended the inclusion of a Long Range Plan for each lodge and hopefully have explained the importance of a business plan that will assist the lodge in making decisions for the future. We talked at length about the Grand Master's desire to treat our fellow man with respect and caring, regardless of their race, creed, belief or orientation, and to be a true friend.

This District is fortunate to have much harmony and friendship among the brethren, and even though it appears to be losing a number of members through attrition, the lodges have pulled together and they have mutually supported one another.

I thank the District Secretary, the District Team, current Grand Lodge Officers of this district, and the Masters for a memorable year. I also thank the many Brethren of the District who are some of the best Masons and friends one could ask for. Their support and dedication is second to none, and I have been most blessed and honoured to have served with these esteemed Brethren this year.

Niagara District B – 11 Lodges**R.W. Bro. Nicholas Andras**

The lodges have shown a great improvement since I last spoke regarding degree work. The books have somewhat been put away, but still are there for quick reference, but all in all much better than previously reported. There have been some member increases in the last little bit as well and some events in and around the district which have taken place ie scotch tasting event and a Masonichip Foundation of Ontario event as well.

The year for me has been very productive and a great learning experience to say the least. The generosity and warmth which have been put forth by the brothers of each lodge has been exceptional, and the turnouts for the remainder of my official visits have been very well attended. The speeches which I had written to the brethren, on each of my official visits were all very well accepted. They were all about, "how masonry makes you a better man, here are some techniques you can try". Brethren have asked me for copies of my speeches which to me shows that there was an interest in the topic at hand I spoke of.

I am very proud to have served as DDGM for the Niagara B District for the term of 2016/2017 and would not have been able to have done it on my own. My team which was chosen, were very supportive, helpful, genuine and respectful, not only to me but to the members of each lodge we visited. Their help through the year was exceptional. Also to the district secretary, who was by my side through it all, he was my biggest helper and supporter of all. He made me take the forefront, while being the "guy in the back" who did all the work. Well not all of it, but some of it. Without him by my side, I couldn't have managed on my own. I couldn't have chosen a better person to handle these duties, and I'm proud to have had him with me.

In closing the only thing I would have liked to have done more of is travel. Travel to other districts more and visit the many great lodges which encompass our great province.

Having a job which requires shift work made this very difficult and almost impossible to visit far away lodges. The recommendation I would like to pass on to our new DDGM if he reads this is, enjoy every moment of your term because it goes by quickly. Enjoy every little meeting or visitation, because, no matter how insignificant it may be, you won't be in that chair to the right of the WM again. Travel as much as you can, attend GM receptions, and visit DDGMs on their special nights. I was proud to say I covered 10 districts in my term, but work hindered me from doing more. Thank you very much for this honour and opportunity to be DDGM and maybe one day I can advance further in Grand Lodge and be considered for another office.

Nipissing Muskoka District – 11 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Matt Plant

Nipissing Muskoka is in the third year of their amalgamation and visitation has improved between the North and South of the District, which were previously in 2 different districts. Attendance at the Official visits was good with the addition of the travelling gavel being presented at the same time as the Official visit. This event was started by the immediate past DDGM in his term and was carried on by myself. The Lodges also seem to enjoy incorporating both functions at the same time.

The District has been very busy with 30 initiations at the time of writing. They were scattered over most of the District but a large number were at Nipissing Lodge No. 420. This Lodge has a very active Friend-to-Friend and Brother-to-Brother program.

Memorable events include my first fraternal visit 2 weeks after Grand Lodge to the Barn Degree at Strong Lodge No. 423. This Degree has been done for a number of years at the barn of R.W. Bro. Terry Hornibrook and is an excellent event attended by many Brethren from around the District and beyond. Other events were the Visitors' Night at Muskoka Lodge No. 360 in Bracebridge and also Hunter's night at Muskoka.

The Divine Service was well attended this year by Brethren and their families. We well out numbered the congregation.

We had the honor of hosting the Most Worshipful the Grand Master John C. Green to a fraternal visit at Muskoka Lodge No. 360 to present a 70 yr. pin to a member and to witness an Initiation for an 82 yr. old candidate.

I attended 3 Masonic services and have personal knowledge of the passing of 6 brethren who did not have Masonic services.

I would like to thank all the Brethren of Nipissing- Muskoka for the kind hospitality they showed my wife and myself this year. I would also like to thank the District Secretary W. Bro Dave Plant, the District Piper W. Bro Don Tripp and the District Chaplain V.W. Bro Bill South for their support. My year has been personally very rewarding and has renewed my zeal for Masonry.

North Huron District – 8 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Keith P. Heydon

It has been a very enjoyable year and my honour to represent our Grand Master as the District Deputy Grand Master in North Huron. Thank you to all the brethren who travelled and visited with me. It was nice to see familiar faces, and also new faces among the lodges.

This year we held a Grand Masters Reception in October that was well attended. A special thanks to the organizing committee for all your time and effort in making the night such a success. Our District Divine service was once again held at the Blyth United Church and conducted by our District Chaplain, Reverend Bro. Gary Clark. The district also held three Friend to Friend nights that were well received and resulted in multiple candidates for initiation for Forrest, Bernard and Wingham lodges.

Throughout the district, North Huron saw a great number of Masonic milestones. We presented many 25 year pins and we were also honoured to present several 50 year pins and a 60 year pin.

This year we regrettably said good bye to Blyth lodge No. 303 in December. This is the fourth lodge in North Huron to go dark over the recent years, which leaves our district with eight lodges. The attendance at the official visits decreased with an average of only 33 brethren attending the meetings. This is a disturbing trend that is affecting many events in our district, including the district Bonspiel which was ultimately cancelled due to lack of interest. We must support each lodge individually to have a strong district for everyone.

A special thank you to the District Secretary, W. Bro. Colin Elwood for helping to make this year a success. Our talks, discussions and travels will be remembered for years to come.

Finally I would like to thank all the brethren that supported me and the district by taking District Committee positions this year. These brethren are the back bone of our district and your efforts are greatly appreciated.

Ontario District – 15 Lodges

R.W. Bro. John Wallace

It has been a very busy second half of my term. We have many initiations which both myself and the District Secretary have attended along with Official Visits in our District.

I also had the opportunity of visiting Victoria & Toronto East Districts as well as other districts in Toronto. I was made very welcome at all these visits. It gave me an opportunity to promote visitation and fellowship in the different Lodges.

We had a Town Hall Meeting which was attended by the Grand Master. This was the first time that Ontario District held such an event and by all accounts and feedback it was well received and I can say that it was very successful.

I must commend the Lodge members for their efforts in raising funds for the District Project, Prostrate Hope. They have worked above and beyond at many tasks to ensure that the goal was met. I thank them personally for all their generous efforts.

I had the opportunity of giving out a few fifty year pins and awards over the course of the year, as well as giving Grand Honours to most of the recipients. We had the honour of giving Grand Honours to a recipient for his generous donation of blood, he donated 175 times in total.

All Lodges in Ontario District are on an upward path and are continuing to work towards greater things. All Official visits were done in an excellent and timely manner and all the Lodges worked well together to make sure that candidates progressed through degrees as quickly as they were ready to progress. All the candidates were well versed and schooled and it was indeed a privilege to witness their progress.

To all the Worshipful Masters and Lodge secretaries who worked very well to make sure all members were well informed and for making me welcome, I thank you.

Many thanks to Grand Lodge for their help and assistance and their council. It is deeply appreciated.

To the members of Ontario District, I would like to take this opportunity to thank them for the opportunity to hold the honour of this office. I was treated with the utmost respect and welcomed everywhere I went.

Ottawa District 1 – 15 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Trevor Hemmerling

The 2016-17 Masonic Year continued the trend of a slight decrease in membership. Recent L reports indicated an overall decrease of membership across the district of 2.4% or 28 members, leaving Ottawa District 1 at 1,148 members. The most worrisome of this is one Lodge losing 11 members, or 25% of their membership, leaving them now with a total of 34.

As to the state of the Lodges, 9 scored Green, 5 scored Yellow and 1 scored Red.

Masonry is alive and well in Ottawa District 1 but with all the same challenges encountered by other districts across the province.

Your DDGM and Ottawa District 1 continued its attendance and active involvement in: wreath layings; masonic memorials; cornerstone, certificate, service pin and regalia presentations; a William Mercer Wilson presentation; district divine services and various degrees.

Of note:

- The cuffs visited Alberta twice (Baseline Lodge No. 198, Spruce Grove) and Nassau Bahamas, representing the Grand Master at the ceremony of Installation and Investiture of Claudius R Walker Lodge No. 1808.
- A multi-Lodge initiative was undertaken to celebrate the 300th anniversary of the formation of the United Grand Lodge of England and Canada 150, on June 3rd.
- An inter-district initiative has been undertaken, the Ottawa Retention Pilot Project, to stem the tide of the loss of members for various reasons other than geography or admittance to the Grand Lodge above.
- Ottawa District 1 reached out to Solomon Lodge No. 26, the Most Worshipful Prince Hall Grand Lodge, Province of Ontario and Jurisdiction. A Silver Trowel was donated and engraved and regular visitation initiated. Moving forward, every year, the former DDGM's Lodge will deliver the Trowel to Solomon Lodge with a goodly number of brethren of the District, and later in the same Masonic Year Solomon Lodge will deliver the Trowel to the Lodge of the sitting DDGM of Ottawa District 1. It is hoped that through this visitation that we can strengthen the bonds of fraternal friendship and expose our members to the diversity and vitality of Masonry.
- Finally, three issues were encountered in the normal running of District business and I'm pleased to say that with the assistance and guidance of Grand Lodge officers I regard these issues as put to rest and closed at this time.

Ottawa District 2 – 13 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Robert H. Clarke

This year, Ottawa District 2 had three goals: Build upon the successes of the past; Promote Grand Lodge programs and resources; and, to address piques and quarrels in a Masonic manner. All three goals were met with good measures of success, but we know that we still have room for improvement.

The Ottawa District 1 and 2 Retention Pilot Project initiated last year was put into action and results will be tabulated over the next few years to determine if the project will have had a positive effect upon retention. Participating lodges will be featured on the updated District 2 Website, where prospective candidates can “shop” for a lodge that meets their requirements. It is hoped that having candidates select the lodge to which they wish to belong will assist in the emotional tie-in and will result in a better retention rate among the new members.

The Cornerstone Project has caught on in this District but there are still a few lodges that have not yet sampled its advantages. The Grand Lodge Mentoring Program was the subject of a DDGM speech and was highly recommended to the lodges as there still is room for improvement for some lodges with the mentoring of their new members.

At the beginning of the year, lodges were admonished to seek resolutions to piques and quarrels before those disagreements became public. The brethren of the District were reminded of the instructions given in the Apron Charge in the First Degree and to put words to action in accordance with that direction. To do otherwise would mean that we failed as men, Masons, Lodges and as a District – and this year, no one wanted to bear that dubious distinction.

We have a lot to be proud of in this District, but the yellow and red flagged lodges must contemplate their existence and must choose a path forward that addresses their situation in a solid manner. There is hard work ahead of us, but like the operative Masons of old, by working together we can ensure that this monument we call Masonry endures in Ottawa District 2.

Peterborough District – 11 Lodges**R.W. Bro. Andrew C. Stevenson**

This year has been very successful for Peterborough District. We have had 11 Official visits, and installations that have all been very well attended. There seems to be an excellent spirit in the District at the moment and it has been translated into the excellent attendance that is mentioned above. I have also had our district piper pipe us into all the Official Visits, which adds some excitement and makes them a memorable occasion.

I believe that if we pay attention to the district lodges and what is going on at the meetings that the attention will be repaid with the enthusiasm that has been shown. I routinely get invited to hand out long service pins and other awards.

On a more somber note, we have also had 12 Masonic Memorial services. One of them, for the most senior district mason, had over 100 masons attending!

At our District Divine Service, we had more than 50 masons in attendance, and were led in and out of the church by our piper which made an impressive occasion for the church congregation. In fact several of them mentioned to the Minister that they were very impressed. This is excellent free public relations!

I would also like to congratulate two of our district brethren, V W Bro Roger Morton and W Bro Stephen Hedgcock who run a very successful “coffee club” every week. This event is very well attended, is a great fellowship and social function and is also a great way to communicate coming events.

It has been an honour to serve the Peterborough District this year as DDGM

Prince Edward District – 12 Lodges**R.W. Bro. Stewart Westhead**

The past year has been an extremely pleasant, interesting and educational journey for me. I have been encouraging every lodge to think about trying new ideas to interact and engage with our communities. The Lodges have responded and are looking to future events such as partnering with Habitat for Humanity and participating in Christmas Parades.

During the year I have noticed that every Lodge is making improvements in the use of Protocol and Etiquette both during the banquet and in the Lodge itself. Our members are continuing to hone their work and there is only one book open in each Lodge and that's the official prompter's.

Most of our Lodges have been changing the layout and content of their summons to make them more interesting and informative for their members including photos and bits of history or Masonic Education.

I am pleased to report that every Lodge in the District participated in the jurisdiction wide Open House event with a variety of programs. Each Lodge also showed solid support for the District Project with a few coming up with new and unique fundraising ideas.

While I enjoyed everything about my term, being present and assisting with the presentations for long or dedicated service awards including 50, and 60 year pins and one Veteran Jubilee Medal were the highlights. It is amazing to meet these brothers and see how the act of recognizing their service is so meaningful to them and they are such an example to the rest of us.

At the beginning of the term I attended the Ceremony of Amalgamation for two of our Lodges and in May of 2017, I attended the Ceremony of Amalgamation of the three Lodges in Belleville.

The District also hosted a reception for the Grand Master that was very well attended by members of the District.

It has been an honour to have been the Grand Master's representative in Prince Edward District and I have appreciated his friendly and jovial manner in helping make me feel at ease in the position. Thanks to the District for their support and enthusiasm. And a special thank you to the District Secretary, W. Bro. John Carter, my brother and special friend for his assistance, companionship and dedication to our Craft.

St. Lawrence District – 17 Lodges**R.W. Bro. Richard A. Denison**

St. Lawrence District has a strong Masonic foundation with a core of Masons in every lodge.

We lost several Masons due to death this year but had several new initiates as well for a slight increase in membership.

Designations in The Corner Stone Project is also up, five Masonichip Foundation of Ontario Programs were held as well as sponsoring four Blood Donor clinics.

Visiting on D.D.G.M. nights is excellent with the exception of a few Lodges not being present but an average of thirty five brothers visiting each night.

I want to say thank you to all the Masters, Treasurers and Secretaries for getting all the L forms in promptly and the District Secretary W. Brother James Brown for all his hard work in notify the Lodges at the appropriate times.

I want to say thank you to all the committee members for their hard work and commitment to Masonry in St. Lawrence District.

It has been a pleasure being on the M.W. John C. Green team. It was an experience I will be grateful for the rest of my life.

Success was the result of all The Brethren of St. Lawrence District working together.

St. Thomas District – 9 Lodges**R.W. Bro. R. Derek Coniam**

I was deeply honor to be elected as DDGM from Warren Lodge No. 120 in Fingal as an affiliated Past Master I was grateful for the confidence that my lodge and the district place in me to represent the St. Thomas District.

My homecoming in May was an emotional night for me. Warren Lodge No. 120 honored me by presenting the Lewis Jewel. During the year, I presented 25 and 50 year pins. A 60 year pin to R.W. Bro. Bruce McLean from Dufferin Lodge No. 364, Melborne who will be honored with his 50 year PDDGM pin by Grand Lodge in July and a 60 year pin and 50 year PM pin to R.W. Bro. Don Cosens by M.W. Bro. John C. Green who was in attendance at St. David's Lodge No. 302. Note: They served as DDGM in 1998-1999.

The District was very fortunate to have W. Bro. Ken Monteith from Warren Lodge No. 120 as Historian for St. Thomas District. He complied "History of St. Thomas Masonic District from 1799-2000." The Cost was \$10.00. To W. Bro. Ken Monteith our Heartfelt appreciation for the hours spent compiling 175 pages of history.

On May 22nd I attended Coronation Lodge No. 502 in Smithville for the homecoming of, W. Bro. Tom Willis. Forty-Seven years ago in 1971, I was the installing Master with a team from Temple Lodge No. 296, St. Catharines. I install Bro. Wm. Springstead into the chair of King Solomon. We travel together as Masters until January of 1972. We both have served the office of DDGM.

I was privilege to fellowship with my sister lodge in my district and outside my district discovering a great wealth of masonic education and brotherly love. What a wonderful experience, I recommend it very highly.

Having loss my wife, Sharon, before I was installed as DDGM I dedicated this year to her memory as she had been my greatest supporter in all my masonic endeavors during the past 55 years. We fail to recognize brotherly love until it is bestowed on you. I traveled this year with that support.

Sarnia District – 15 Lodges**R.W. Bro. Ivan A. Bryce**

It was a year of celebration in Sarnia District. We had the pleasure of giving Service Awards to a number of Brethren. Seventy Years pins were given to two Brethren in during a lodge meeting; both of these Brethren reminisced on personal accomplishments and time spent together in masonry. There were three Sixty Year pins awarded this year in the

District. Two of which were present to the recipients by the Grand Master M.W. Bro. John C. Green. There were also several Fifty Year and Twenty-five years pins given to worthy Brethren. We thank them all for their many years of service and commitment to Masonry. We have two Lodges that will be completing and hopefully attain the distinction of being designated a Cornerstone Lodge. A handful of men decided from across the District to become masons this year, giving the Brethren a sense of renewal.

W. Bro. John Warren our District Chairman for Friend to Friend and Brother to Brother organized a work shop lead By R.W. Bro. Leyland Muss and R.W. Bro. Maher Eid. This work shop was well attended and received by the Brethren.

Early September Tuscan No.437 and Victoria No.56 amalgamated to form the new Victoria No.56 with the assistance of the Grand Master. The Brethren of the new Victoria No.56 have had to address a few bumps in the road this year, but it appears that reason will win over pride. The forecast for the new lodge is a positive one.

We had a number of special events this year, starting with the Grand Master's Reception in October. It was well attended by Brethren and their Ladies, from within the District and from across this Grand Jurisdiction. Our Annual Ladies Night in March better known as the "Pie Olympics" was also a success. This was the year for charity auction. It proved to be one of our best fund raisers in recent memory. We thank the organizing committees for a job well done, with your attention to detail the charities we support benefitted. There have been other social events that include families and friends such as BBQ's, fish fries and Christmas gatherings, all of which were enjoyed.

On the sadder side of life's circle we lost seventeen of our number to the Grand Lodge Above. We were asked to perform the Masonic Memorial Service for fifteen Brethren. The reaction to the service was received with high praise and thanks from the families and friends of the deceased.

I wish I could say that all is well in Sarnia District; but we have a few warts too. There are three Lodges in our District that are struggling. Two Lodges have recognized that there is a problem and are working toward a solution that suits them. We have one Lodge who historically has had issues, for more years than I have been alive and is not prepared to understand their situation. They have continued to limp along not using the tools that have been offered to them. The hope is that under new leadership within their circle, they will become engaged, use the tools like Cornerstone and find that success that eludes them.

I must thank the District Chairmen and Advisers for their assistances and support this past year. Thank you, Brethren of Sarnia District for the manner in which I was received and to the respect shown to the office I represented.

Finally, I must thank the District Secretary R.W. Bro. Tom Keith for his gentle nudge and suggestions. Most importantly, to our wives for allowing Tom and I to travel as we did and joining us when possible, you made this year of service an enjoyable one.

South Huron District – 10 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Terence P. Ridgway

It is hard to believe that my term as D.D.G.M of South Huron District is drawing to a close. Admittedly, last July I was a bit apprehensive at the responsibility of my elected position. As my year comes to an end, I am happy to say that a revitalization of my spirit has erupted with regards to Free Masonry. Although it was necessary to maintain the position of District Deputy Grand Master with respect to the craft, the warmth I felt as a brother filled my soul. It truly reawakened my Masonic spirit and the gift of kind that only visiting can achieve.

My tenure started off quite hectic with the setting of the new paperless Trestle Board and dealing with a few outstanding District financial issues. The District Meeting was held at the end of August with good discussion on resolving some current issues, as well as revamping of District events to better reflect today's changing society.

I had the privilege to present Grand Steward Regalia to two well deserving brothers of South Huron District. I also had the extreme pleasure of instituting a new Traditional

Observance Lodge in the District, Templum Lucis Lodge. It was an incredible feeling to open a Lodge for the first time, assisted by the Grand Senior Warden and Grand Junior Warden, and instituting a new Lodge with so many past and current Grand Lodge officers present.

The District also hosted a reception in honour of the Grand Master which was well attended with over 100 brethren present for the occasion. I was also able to attend Grand Masters receptions in 2 other Districts on behalf of South Huron, as well as 3 official visits of other DDGM's in their respective Districts.

Besides the Official Visits and Installations I had the privilege of presenting several long service pins throughout the district and attending 6 initiations, one of which included my son. At the same time I had the unfortunate task of attending 5 masonic funerals. In an attempt to improve the social aspect of the district I tried a couple of different things with the hope to improve the social side of the Fraternity. I changed the District Ladies Night to a District Social Night, which was a concert hosted by the Masonic Concert Hall in Stratford. It was open to Masons and friends of Masons. It was my hope to be more inclusive in the event. I also tried the District Divine Service on a weeknight as we all know weekends are precious family time. I am pleased to say that both events were well attended compared to previous years and in conversation with the DDGM elect, he is planning to continue the ventures in this new format during his upcoming year.

In short, I feel Free Masonry is doing well in South Huron. We do indeed suffer from declining and an aging membership. But I feel we need to change our way of thinking and doing things to help revitalized the craft. Things should not be done that way because that is the way it has always been done. This was demonstrated to me in the change of the District Ladies night and the District Divine Service. If we do not stay current, membership will continue to decline but if we find a way to engage the members either socially or in the nature of the craft our membership will start to thrive.

I would like to thank Grand Lodge for all their tutelage and support in making my year truly memorable. I would also like to thank the brethren of South Huron District for their support during my year. I now know the true meaning of that bond of Masonic Brotherhood and the Principal upon which we are founded.

Sudbury-Manitoulin District – 9 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Clive D. Stephenson

R.W. Bro. Jason B. Ashley

The District Deputy Grand Master of the Sudbury-Manitoulin district for 2016-17, R.W. Bro. Jason Ashley passed away on May 2, 2017 aged 43 years. R.W. Bro. Jason Ashley fought the good fight against ill health and on March 21, 2017 became unable to continue his duties as DDGM. As such, R.W. Bro. Clive Stephenson, who served as DDGM in 2015-16, was asked to assume the duties of DDGM. Although his health had been deteriorating for some time, the loss of R.W. Bro. Ashley was a shock to the brethren of the district and the brethren are to be commended for their outpouring of sympathy to the Ashley family.

The topic of amalgamation was very much to the fore within the district with a number of lodges looking into amalgamation. One lodge with falling and challenging member participation is currently in talks with another lodge, discussing the possibility of amalgamation, an action that will allow them to continue to exist, albeit in a different configuration.

Overall Freemasonry within the district continues to thrive, but there continues to be challenges related to membership participation and the advancement of brethren through the progressive chairs. Ritual in general remains above average with many talented and dedicated Masons delivering excellent ritual. The delivery of the ritual by the established cadre is being slowly passed to a younger group of energetic and committed masons, with the established group more involved in mentoring and filling in where needed.

All lodges are active in the community, taking part in a wide range of events. The District this year again chose to support Project Hope which supports prostate cancer research. The weekly Coffee Club (Java Guild) continues to be a popular gathering spot with the district masons. The proceeds from this lunch are targeted towards improving the facilities at the Belrock Masonic Centre and to other Masonic charitable endeavours. Some of the other lodges in the district are also holding successful breakfasts or coffee clubs themselves to raise funds and to increase fraternal interaction.

Temiskaming District – 5 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Ian B. MacPherson

It has been a privilege and an honour to serve as the Grand Master's deputy in Temiskaming during our district's centennial year. Our celebrations were marked at the end of October with all seven lodges hosting or participating in a variety of friend to friend events. City and town councils in all five of the municipalities where our lodge buildings are located passed declarations giving recognition to the contributions Freemasonry have made in the development of their communities. Several regional media outlets made note of our activities with news stories and free publicity. By all accounts, our efforts had a measurable impact in raising our public profile. The bonus benefit I witnessed was the general boost in the pride and polish of our membership.

Freemasonry has gone through a long, slow implosion in Northeastern Ontario. As the booming postwar resource economy continued to sputter by the end of the Century, so did our numbers. All of our lodges are now heavily weighted by a loyal but '*moved away*' roster of members. Plus, all the other factors that are impeding membership right across the jurisdiction are in play. Through it all, the quality of the ritual across the district has been maintained or shown improvement. Visitation and affiliation has become an absolute necessity in maintaining the degree work and this has created an extraordinary solidarity among the lodges. This Spring, for example, I witnessed an installation of lodge officers performed by a degree team that had participants from all seven of our lodges with some enduring a four hour round trip to the ceremony that evening.

Another highlight of this year was the December lodge and temple financial workshop presented by R.W. Bro. Robert Kliaman. All lodges were represented and received some very timely direction and advice. One immediate benefit has been a major saving in insurance premiums across the district.

Finally, I am pleased to report that I will not be serving another consecutive term as DDGM for Temiskaming. A successor has come forward for next year and a strategy has been formulated to ensure that we can return to an orderly succession of the sharing of Grand Lodge duties among all our member lodges over the foreseeable future. I am deeply grateful to the many brethren both in and beyond Temiskaming who have made my duties so enjoyable over these past three years.

Toronto Don Valley District – 19 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Lawrence Ben-Eliezer

Toronto Don Valley District consists of 19 Lodges that meet in 3 temples located in the GTA. One of the Lodges is a daylight Lodge.

The current Masonic Year began with an ambitious agenda for Masonic Education along several fronts. Emphasis was put on techniques for memorizing and delivering ritual, improving mechanics and refreshers on protocol and etiquette. The seminars were well attended and well received.

The Worshipful Master of each Lodge was tasked with identifying a Member whose contribution to the community, the Lodge and/or the Craft exemplified the practice of Masonic principles and thereby resulted in that Member being awarded the TDV DDGM Coin. The recipient's identity was kept secret until the end of each Official Visit. The coin was presented during the final remarks for the evening. This initiative was the appropriately subject of questions from various quarters, but was ultimately well received.

The District is generally in good health. The Lodges display a spectrum of proficiency and dedication that is reflective of the Craft as a whole. At the same time, it must be observed that there are more than enough skilled Brethren whose individual and united endeavours should, if properly nurtured and encouraged, secure a bright future for Masonry in general and the District in particular.

The Craft is clearly facing unprecedented external and internal challenges as it seeks to retain its relevance in an ever changing world. It is indeed fortunate that the Brethren of TDV are aware of what lies ahead and prepared to create meaningful opportunities for success.

Toronto East District – 19 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Gerald J. Newall

Having completed my year as DDGM I can report the following from Toronto East District.

Having completed all 19 Installations and Investitures and Official Visits, I can report that the leadership and management of the district lodges remains strong and continues to be effective. The senior officers are more educated in running the lodges than ever before and this is reflected in how the lodges conduct their affairs.

I have had the honour and privilege to present several 25, 50 and 60 year pins in the district. I have also presented a 25 year Past Master pin.

On June 22nd, 2017, Todmorden Lodge No. 647 went into darkness. I am very proud of the Worshipful Master and brethren for their dedication to the lodge right up to the end. There are still three lodges within the district that are having both financial and membership challenges and I have done what I could to assist them.

Toronto East is still looking to build our new location in Scarborough that will hold the majority of the lodges. We are still a number of years away from seeing this come to fruition.

There are seven lodges that were forced to find temporary meeting locations due to building sales and renovations, found new homes within the Ontario, York and Don Valley districts. Although the lodges of the district meet in a total of four different districts, visitation remains strong and vibrant. We had an overall increase of visitation of 23% over last year.

Both myself and the District Secretary have been well received by all the brethren of the district and as the G.M.'s representative I have been afforded the proper protocol on all occasions. It has been a privilege and an honour to represent the Grand Master in the district this year. It has been the pinnacle of my masonic journey and I have many excellent memories I will cherish forever.

Toronto Humber Valley District – 20 Lodges

R.W. Bro. S. Fahir Benli

In the name of the Most Worshipful, the Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of A.F. & A.M. of Canada in the Province of Ontario, M.W. Bro. John C. Green; I thank each and every Brother, for your Brotherly Love, respect and support that you have shown during my term of office as the District Deputy Grand Master of Toronto Humber Valley District.

It has been of great pleasure, honor and privilege to serve as a D.D.G.M. to visit all Lodges within the District and travel beyond and as far as Grand Lodge in Turkey together with R.W. Bro. John Trotter and V.W. Bro. George Pohle, exchanging Brotherly Love while we endeavor to happy ourselves and communicating that happiness to others.

There is nothing happier than seeing a newly initiated Brother and welcoming him into our gentle craft and very sadly this year, I had to say farewell to our beloved Brethren during my term as well, R.W. Bro. Charles H.M. Reid, R.W. Bro. Walter J. Drane, V.W. Bro. Robert Holliday, V.W. Bro. Ab Hall, V.W. Bro. Harold Hubbell, W. Bro. Hagen Von Chamier, W. Bro. Alexandru Rudner, Bro. Chris Jaaskelainen, Bro. William J. C. Oakes. May they all rest in peace and we will remember them.

In our District, we have two Masonic Temples where twenty Lodges work in harmony. On February 28th, 2017 our Weston Masonic Temple was hit by an unfortunate fireball attack. The arsonist was arrested soon after our Bro. Reuben Earl from Orient Lodge identified the man and reported to the Police.

Masonry was not the primary target, as this man tried to fire ball the Funeral home across our building and the Canadian Tire store near-by.

This incident helped us to unite and turn the disastrous situation into a greater success. We immediately rescheduled all our Lodge meetings and at this point I would like to extend my sincere thanks to Renforth Masonic Temple Board and other Masonic Temple Boards surrounding us. It was a true example of Masonic Unity in action.

Rehoboam Lodge G.R.C. No: 65 celebrates the 150 years anniversary and Ulster Lodge G.R.C. 537 celebrates the 100 years. This year we are all celebrating 300 years of Masonry. Long live our Lodges and Long Live the Craft.

I am thankful to all Brethren of Toronto Humber Valley District for electing me and I thank the Grand Master, M.W. Bro. John C. Green for his approval and giving me the opportunity to work with him and for our Craft. Thank you the Grand Secretary M.W. Bro Terence Shand and Grand Lodge Office, I thank Grand Lodge Program Chairmen for their amazing support to our District.

I must thank all my Committee Chairmen for their hard work and support. I thank all our Worshipful Masters and Brethren for their hospitality and Brotherly Love. Very special thanks to Our District Secretary W. Bro. Yalcin Suer for his dedication, courtesy and attention to detail at work.

V.W. Bro Refik Yoney and R.W. Bro. Errol Stewart for their inspiration and unerring guidance.

Finally, I would like to thank my wife Canan Benli and my daughter Irem Benli for their endless love and support during my term.

May the Great Architect of the Universe be with our Craft and you always.

Toronto West – 23 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Manoj J. Dave

It was indeed a pleasure to serve as the DDGM in the largest district in our jurisdiction. I was fortunate enough to break bread with many old acquaintances and make several new friends along the way.

The brethren who served as District Chairmen performed their duties in an exemplary manner. They each carried out their respective mandates with honour and distinction. It was certainly my privilege to have them on our team. Congratulations to all.

While it is true that some Lodges in the district are struggling, I would be remiss not to note that each of these Lodges is trying very hard to take corrective action. Their enthusiasm was evident during the 300th anniversary open house on June 3rd. I am hoping that all Lodges and Temple boards work together to transform the concept of this open-house into a robust friend-to-friend programme.

The inter-faith divine service hosted jointly with the Toronto Don-Valley district was the highlight of our term. We had clergy from the Hindu, Sikh, Muslim, Christian, Jewish and Baha'i faiths; with over 200 masons, family and friends participating in this unique event. Our youth groups, the DeMolay and Primrose also participated in full force. I look forward to future divine services where possibly all Toronto districts will participate.

The Chair of the Blood Donor committee did an outstanding job by putting the Blood Donor program in high gear. This past year, we recognized several first-time donors, multiple donors and even a 100-unit donor. I was particularly impressed when brethren brought their wives, partners, families and friends to donate.

The District Charity, Prostate Hope enjoyed the fruits of a very hard-working committee that put on a District Theatre night, produced calendars, and organized a Walk-a-thon. Their collective efforts exceeded the fundraising goal that was established at the beginning of the term.

I commend the WMs of the District for their tremendous support and for providing their respective lodges with the leadership to move forward.

I would like to thank W. Bro. John Lloyd, District Secretary for his friendship, support and dedication in carrying out the duties of his office; my Advisory Board for their sincere guidance and advice and finally, to my wife, Bindu for without her unconditional love, patience and understanding, none of this would have been possible.

Victoria District – 14 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Lawrence F. Bell

I would like to thank the brethren of Victoria District and the Lodge of Faithful Brethren No. 77, Lindsay, for granting me the opportunity to serve as District Deputy Grand Master for 2016-17 and the support that they have shown throughout the year.

The biggest highlight this year has been the celebration of the 100th Anniversary of Victoria District. It started on the morning of Saturday, October 1st. As part of the Bobcaygeon Fall Fair parade, the Lodges of the District put in a combined entry. There were at least one hundred brethren, wearing regalia, who took part in the parade which included floats, antique automobiles, motorcycles and marching groups. There was very little doubt that Masonry is alive and well in Victoria District. Later that day, a Centennial Dinner and Grand Master's Reception was held.

On April 27th, Arcadia Lodge No. 440, Minden, was honoured to have M.W. Bro. John C. Green preside over the rededication of their Lodge and Mosaic Pavement.

Another highlight was having R.W. Bro. Paul E. Todd in attendance for the Deputy Grand Master's Reception and Ladies Night which was held in Beaverton on May 6th. This was very well attended and enjoyed by all.

The work the Lodges have done has, for the most part, been very good and has included degree work, long service pin presentations and Masonic Education. Membership continues to be a challenge and the District will end the year with a decrease. Unfortunately, one half of the losses will be due to deaths.

The Lodges are looking forward to the June 3rd celebration of the 300th Anniversary of the United Grand Lodge of England. Each have made plans which have included open houses, dinners and booths at community events etc.

The District Secretary, W. Bro. Rene Faas should be commended for going above and beyond the call of duty. He has been of great assistance to myself as well as the Lodges. It has also been a pleasure to have V.W. Bro. Floyd Pehlemann and V.W. Bro. Jason Rawlins serve as Grand Stewards. We have all been very well received while visiting the Lodges this year, and for this we are extremely grateful.

Waterloo District – 15 Lodges

R.W. Bro. R. Ronald Bock

The time has quickly come when I must relinquish the collar and cuffs of the District Deputy Grand Master to my successor, and I wish him all the support and encouragement from the District that I have been blessed with. The brethren could not have been more kind to me, and I appreciate all who have shown me their help.

The year has been filled with invitations to corn roasts, dinners, and celebrations of all sorts. I have had the pleasure of presenting 25yr and 50yr Mason pins, and 25yr and one 50yr past master pins, as well as Cornerstone certificates, and Master Mason certificates. I have also had the pleasure to attend a couple of receptions for the Grand Master, as well as visiting a few lodges outside of the District.

The Commemorative coins made a wonderful gift to newly initiated members, and I extend my congratulations to the committee who selected the design.

As is fairly common in the Jurisdiction, some Lodges are extremely active, while a few others are struggling. No one wants to see their Lodge go dark, and many are the devoted Masters and Past Masters who step up to the challenge of filling the line officers chairs, as well as the ruling Master's chair. For the most part, the ritual is presented in an engaging and

proper manner, so that the candidates are duly impressed, and hopefully will be anxious to learn new parts of it in the future. They are our future, and need to be encouraged.

It has truly been an honor to serve in this office, and I have to say I enjoyed the year tremendously. I wish the same for my successor.

Wellington District – 12 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Robert S. Wilson

To begin my report I must thank the Brethren of Wellington District for the opportunity to serve as The District Deputy Grand Master for the past year and also for their wonderful cooperation and friendliness shown me through the year. Also to the Brethren of my home Lodge Two River No. 203 for their support.

September began with the preparation for the Masonic Display at the International Plowing Match at Harriston. It was a great experience to be there to witness and help the Brethren from North Huron, Bruce, Grey and Wellington Districts working together to build the display in the Tented City which was located on R.W. Bro Earl Schneider's farm. M.W. Bro. John C. Green was there for nearly the whole five days to meet and greet. He was in his element as he was at home and well known there for his other accomplishments as a Municipal Politician etc. The event was a huge success because of the efforts of the large group of Brethren who helped man the display tent as well as putting it together and dismantling it to send it on to the next year's event in North Huron. Members of 82 lodges identified their Lodge by placing a Pin on the Map of Ontario at their Lodge location. Freemasonry certainly put its best foot forward and was seen in its best light.

Wellington and Waterloo again held a joint District Divine Service in Kitchener. M.W. Bro. Green was in attendance. The service was very inspiring as all the Mainstream Religions were acknowledged through readings from their V.O.T.S.L. Credit should be given to the two district Chaplains for the success.

The usual one day Lodge of Instruction was replaced with 4 evening sessions held at four different Lodges on their regular meeting nights. The 3 Brother Instructors believed it was worth the effort and should be tried again.

Waverly Lodge in Guelph held a wonderful regular meeting in November when 18 long service pins were presented to some very worthy members. They included 1-60 yr. 4-50 yr., 9-25yr. and 4- 25yr. a P.M.

The eleven Lodges in this District are in generally stable condition. Several are having wonderful success and several are struggling a little but I don't anticipate any Lodge failures and have reason to hope for improvement in the weaker ones.

Before closing I must pay my District Secretary Jeff Malloch a huge THANKS for helping me throughout the year. His skills as an enthusiastic communicator and computer expert made my job much easier and his skills have been noted also by many others in the District.

It has been an honour to have been involved with The Grand Master in 2015-16 as the Ass. Grand Director of Ceremonies and then being able to serve in this capacity in 2016-17.

It certainly has been a wonderful experience.

Western District – 10 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Robert D. Kitowski

For those who do not know where Western district is. It as far as you can go west and come back just a little. Our area is very large. I'm lucky to have three Lodges in my home town; the next closet would be 120Km and the farthest over 450KM one way. We would call it a successful year by putting over 5K on my pickup without hitting a moose or anything and keeping the truck on the road.

Membership will see great performance compare to past years in Western district with increases in the double digits. More importantly, Strong good members with roots in masonry and the community, No hint of numbers game just good men. This growth will benefit in many ways. It will drive perfection thought practice of the ritual and will

encourage those to come out and meet the new members and see good work. With new members, gone are the times that we can predict what will happen in lodge.

The Grand Lodge seminars held in May are starting to pay off already with talks of Brother to Brother interest, corner stone project and the strong desire to work on and improve the condition of free masonry.

I had the privilege to present 3 - 50 year pins. Now that might not seem like a huge success, but I must remind you that those are 50 year in the north or "Hard or Tough years"

There were no amalgamation or lodges going dark, however there is one lodge that is struggling to keep going. There are few active members and they are getting tired. This is very unfortunate as this lodge has a soft spot for me as this is where my mother lodge is and I wonder if I would have been a mason today had the lodge gone dark before my time. Without Masonry in my life I have no doubts I would be the Man, Father, Husband and Son I am today.

We need to be mindful when thinking of amalgamation and going dark that we are not closing the doors to our future Brethren and that we can provide the Masonic Lodges to all of the communities as good men are all around us.

In closing

I wanted for the last time thank each of you for your support and confidence in my year and I hope I have served the District and Grand Lodge well. Words can't express how grateful I am for all of your warm welcomes and just in general how well you treat each other and me.

Are work is never done as there are good men all around us and it's our duty to make them better as they will make us better

I would like to thank Stan Arbuckle for his hard work as your District Secretary. Stan worked very hard to ensure many things were in order and filed on time.

Also must thank Ted Habermehl for his dedication to the huge success of the Grand Master visit in May.

Wilson North District – 11 Lodges

R.W. Bro. S. James Harrison

The year certainly disappears with nothing but shadows to mark the time. From orientation and the design for the district schedule to midterm meetings and the on slot of installations, I hope that I have been faithful to the Craft and served the Grand Master and the District honorably.

There have been many memorable occasions:

- two Fifty Year , a Sixty Year and a Seventy Year pin presentations,
- an inspiring Divine Service,
- our District's Grand Master's Reception,
- six memorial services for six exception Masons,
- eight visitations to other Districts.

The one initiative that I most proud of is our District project: "Be Safe". It is a mobile app designed by young people to be used by young people when they are most alone and most vulnerable. Oxford County experienced an inordinate number of teen suicides in 2016. This app is a coordinated approach to give teens a safety net at a crucial time. The entire District responded positively to this project and generously supported the effort. All of Oxford County will know that the Masons of Wilson North District were behind the plan to give its youth a way to help themselves.

The one area of concern that many of the lodges in the District had was the way the new "condition of Masonry" reports were distributed. Before I was able to give the lodges the criteria on which the ratings were based or the rationale behind the document, the majority of my rural lodges received the reports and were very disturbed. Unfortunately, they felt they were being evaluated by the same metrics used in much larger urban lodges.

I do believe they understand that the reports are intended to help them benchmark their progress. I feel Grand Lodge needs to consider how to better deliver the outcomes of this useful tool.

Wilson North district, like all other urban/rural areas, has seen a great deal of pressure put on its smaller lodges and sadly Plattsville No.178, a 150 year lodge, is going dark this June. I have actively tried to support and promote the richness and diversity that are found in our smaller, rural lodges. Trying to get some of our urban lodges to visit our rural brethren is a real, uphill battle, but not one that I will abandon. Visitation between all the District Lodges is key to the vitality and sustainability of all the Lodges and the sooner the members realize these co-dependent relationships, the better.

I am very pleased that the Brother whom I trust will be my successor and the potential candidate in two years' time, are both excellent visitors. Both believe in the value of visitation. The members of Wilson North District can anticipate two very exciting years.

My sincere thanks to a dedicated District team who supported all my efforts throughout the year. Special thanks go to the District Secretary, V.W. Brother Fred Curry, a friend, confidant and efficient secretary.

Wilson South District – 10 Lodges

R.W. Bro. W. Peter Butler

Our year started off well with our District Meeting being held in August with good attendance.

During my Official Visits this year I was impressed with the ritual work and the observance of Protocol and Etiquette. In particular, the effort and hard work exhibited by the Brethren during the many degrees, installations and general work was noticed and appreciated.

We once again supported Camp Trillium-Rainbow Lake as our District Charity with support in the form of work crews at the location and the annual Appreciation Banquet. We also hosted our second annual Masonichip Foundation of Ontario program this year. It's said, Tradition comes from repeated efforts and activities. It is with hopeful hearts that we will see this program continue annually.

The Cornerstone Committee is busy promoting the value of this great program. This is an excellent example of 'The Journey is more Important than the Destination'. Through the Cornerstone Project our lodges will see increased member involvement and commitment. I highly encourage the lodges to pursue the Cornerstone Qualification.

We hosted a Past Master's Workshop in November 2016. There was little attendance which I would attribute to weak communication. It is my intention to learn from our experiences and enjoy more success at next year's workshop.

There were three lodges facing challenges this year. After much discussion and planning, it was decided they would amalgamate for the good of the membership and the fraternity. It was my focus this year to promote strategic and long term planning to avoid this in the future with the remaining lodges. I found the Grand Secretary and his office, very supportive in this process and quick to offer aid and guidance.

Overall, I am very happy with the quality of the Work and I am seeing improvements and progress in Protocol and Etiquette. I am concerned with the long-term future of our lodges which I feel can be alleviated with long term planning.

York District – 19 Lodges

R.W. Bro. Ross T. Guerrero

It has been a privilege and an honour to serve as the Grand Masters representative for York District this year. I would like to thank the Brethren of the district for giving me the opportunity to serve as DDGM.

Masonry is thriving in York district. There are only a couple of lodges experiencing some hardship in getting new members, but the remaining lodges are doing well.

The highlights of the year are The Grand Lodge cornerstone programme, The Past

Masters course and the district lodge of instruction, all of these events are well attended.

My aim this year is to promote The Grand Lodge cornerstone programme because it includes all the programme that are necessary for a lodge to grow and prosper. When I started my year there were two lodges designated as cornerstone lodges. I am pleased to report that there are now 10 lodges enrolled to this programme. The support of all the District chairmen is very much appreciated.

On a personal note I would like to thank W. Bro. Dean E. Bayne for your friendship, encouragement and diligence in serving as the District Secretary, your attention to details is very much appreciated.

To my wife Elena I thank you for your endless support and understanding in my endeavours.

In closing Condition of Masonry in York District is alive and well, and the future for this district looks great.

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